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APPLICATIONS are invited from duly qualified persons for the post of a Nyayadhisha. Starting salary Rs. 75, rising to Rs. 100 per mensem.

Candidates should apply with testimonials of their legal and academical qualifications and experience of service stating age.

MOTILAL L. PAREKH,
Divan, Baria State.

Hazur Office,
Devgad Baria, 9th November, 1916. 5926

WANTED in a Native State in Gujarat a LADY COMPANION for the Ranisaheb and a Governess for three babies, both having good knowledge of English and of Vernacular either Gujarati, Hindi or Bengali. Apply with testimonials before 1st proximo to Box No. 342 stating particulars re qualifications, expected pay, caste, age and whether married. In the case of Lady Companion, preference will be given to one knowing painting and music. 5928

WANTED AT ONCE:—

1. A CASHIER, one who has worked in a Bank preferred.
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4. A competent CORRESPONDENCE-CLERK, knowing good English and Typewriting.

Apply with copies of testimonials and stating terms expected to Box No. 335, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 5900

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One WESTINGHOUSE D. C. shunt wound 15 B.H.P., 460 volts, 960/1100 R. P. M. complete with shunt regulator and pulley. Apply to Box No. 15, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 1085.

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FOR SALE.—A four CYLINDER RICHARD BRASIER, 18-24 h.p., open body seven seater, in perfect order, complete with top for Rs. 3,250 or nearest offer. For inspection and other particulars apply to Box No. 338, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 5907.

FOR SALE

LOOK SHARP!—The Grand Raffle of 1916. Sale of tickets closes on 1st December. Drawing fixed for the 15th December, 1916. Apply:—

MANAGING DIRECTOR,
Keralseya Ayurveda Samajam,
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FOR SALE—Semiportable Marshall's BOILER and COMPOUND ENGINE, Automatic Expansion gear, regulated by Government, Hartnell's Expansion, Governor 50 h.-p., Certified pressure 140 lbs. And one hand Laris of wrought iron, quite new. Apply to B. M. KAPADIA, opposite Police Court, Mazagon. 5899

TO BE LET

TO BE LET.—"CAMP VIEW," DEOLALI, for rent and particulars, apply to Mr. CAMA, c/o "Bombay Chronicle."

TO BE LET.—A GODOWN, suitable for engineering workshops, in British Hotel Lane Apply MAHOMEDALLY NOORBHOY, 206, Abdul Rehman Street. 5908.

MEHTA VILLA," Lamington Road, behind Biculla Club, drawing room, 5 bed rooms, verandah, stable, etc. Latest sanitary fittings, &c. Apply WITHIN. 5852.

TO BE LET—OLYMPIA HOUSE, MATHERAN, large accommodations, splendid situation, uptil end of March. Apply Mrs. KARAKA, No. 17, Marine Lines. 5991

TO BE LET.—Some decent and airy flats on the ground and fourth floors of the Raja Bahadur Motilal's Grant Buildings at Lamington Road. Apply to the MANAGER, Raja Bahadur Motilal Pitty Mills, Tardeo. 5820.

PUBLIC NOTICES

GREAT WAR SALE.

SPECIAL VIEW DAY.

THE articles for sale in the Auction and prizes in the Monster Lucky Bag of which the Official opening takes place on MONDAY, 20th November, as advertised, will be on private view on Sunday, 19th November from 4-30 to 8 p.m. Entrance fee Re. 1. Catalogues at 8 annas each will be available. Season tickets are not applicable to this day which has been arranged by special request. 5944

THE MERCANTILE PRESS CO., LTD.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the 34TH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the Mercantile Press Co., Ltd., will be held at the Company's Registered Office No. 183, Sammual Street, Mandvi, Bombay, on WEDNESDAY, the 15th November, 1916, at 3 p.m., (Standard Time), for the purpose of transacting the following business:—

1. To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and audited Balance Sheet made up to the year ending 30th June, 1916.
2. To elect Directors in the room of those who retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election.
3. To appoint an auditor for the ensuing year and fix his remuneration.
4. To transact any other business concerning the Company that the Chairman may place before the meeting.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 1st November to 15th November, 1916, both the days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
MUNJEE NATHOOBHOY & CO.,
Secretaries, Treasurers and Agents.

Bombay, 16th October, 1916. 5619

THE MERCANTILE PRESS CO., LTD.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING the Shareholders of the Mercantile Press Co., Ltd., will be held at the Company's Registered Office No. 183, Sammual Street, Mandvi on WEDNESDAY, the 15th November, 1916, at 3-30 p.m., (S.T.), when the following special Resolution will be proposed:—

That Messrs. Karsondas T. Rawji and Co. be appointed Agents of the Company in place of the present Agents Messrs. Munjee Nathoobhoy and Co., for a term of 15, years and that they shall be paid 5 per cent. on the gross amount of the Company's bills for pressing and ginning with an allowance of Rs. 150 per month to cover office establishment as allowed to the present Agents.

Should the above Resolution be passed as an Extraordinary Resolution by the required majority it will be submitted for confirmation as a special Resolution to the Second Extraordinary General Meeting which will be subsequently convened.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
MUNJEE NATHOOBHOY & Co.,
Secretaries, Treasurers and Agents.

Bombay, 11th October, 1916. 5629

BOMBAY VETERINARY COLLEGE.

THE FIRST TERM of the next Session commences on January 4th, 1917. Students who desire to enter the College, should present themselves on that date at 10-30 a.m.

About five scholarships (value Rs. 15 per mensem) will be awarded to Matriculates and School Final men. Residents of the Bombay Presidency are alone eligible. Those wishing to obtain scholarships must present themselves at the College on January 4th and should enter their names as candidates as soon as possible.

Paying students unless Matriculates or School Final men are required to pass the College Entrance Test held at the College on January 4th and the following days.

All candidates must pass an Examination in Physical fitness held at the College on January 4th and the following days and must produce certificates of Moral character.

Further particulars may be obtained on application.

THE PRINCIPAL,
Bombay Veterinary College.

Parel, Bombay, 26th October, 1916. 5734

PUBLIC NOTICES

RE: LOST PROPERTY FOUND.

FOUND a CURRENCY NOTE, those who have lost it should apply to Messrs. J. SHANKERLAL & Co., 82, C., Amroli House, Post No. 4, Bombay, with full particulars.

J. SHANKERLAL & Co.,
5945

NOTICE.

TO all whom it may concern, KUVERJI DAMODAR KHIMJI is no longer in my service and he is not entitled to enter into any dealings on behalf of my firm.

5946 LAXMIDAS G. TEJPAL.

NOTICE.

THE B. E. and S. E. MECHANICAL STUDENTS are to meet at the Kasara Power House of the Bombay Supply and Transport Co., Mazagon, Bombay, at 1 p.m. on THURSDAY, 16th November.

H. N. ALLEN,
Principal.

College of Engineering,
Poona, 11th November, 1916. 5927

THE TATA HYDRO-ELECTRIC POWER SUPPLY COMPANY, LTD.

NOTICE.

THE SEVENTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the Company will be held on MONDAY, the 27th November, 1916, at 3-30 p.m., (S. T.), at the Registered Office of the Company, Nos. 2 and 24, Navsari Buildings, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay, to transact the following business:—

1. To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and Audited Accounts for the year ending 30th June, 1916.
2. To declare a Dividend.
3. To elect Directors in place of Mr. Narottam Morarjee and the Hon. Mr. Lalubhai Samaldas, who retire in accordance with Article 109 of the Articles of Association, but are eligible for re-election.
4. To appoint Auditors for the current year and to fix their remuneration.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will remain CLOSED from the 16th to the 27th November, 1916, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors
TATA SONS & Co.,
Agents.

Bombay, 9th November, 1916. 5947

THE TATA HYDRO-ELECTRIC POWER SUPPLY COMPANY, LTD.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of THE TATA HYDRO-ELECTRIC POWER SUPPLY COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, Navsari Buildings, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay, on MONDAY, the 27th day of November, 1916, immediately after the close of the business of the Annual General Meeting of the Company, which has been convened for that day at 3-30 o'clock in the afternoon (S. T.), when the subjoined Resolution which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 9th day of November 1916, will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution.

"That the Capital of the Company be increased to rupees three crores by the creation of ten thousand new shares of rupees one thousand each."

Dated this 10th day of November, 1916.

By Order of the Board,
TATA SONS & Co.,
Agents,
The Tata Hydro-Electric Power Supply Company, Limited.

Navsari Buildings,
Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay. 5948

NOTICE.

BRADBURY AND COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, the undersigned, for myself and on behalf of Mrs. E. Bradbury, as the proving Executor and Executrix of the late Mr. John Frederick Bradbury and also in my individual capacity have admitted Mr. William Hollinshed Brady, as a partner in the Firm of Messrs. Bradbury & Company, and that the business of the said Firm from the date of this Notice will be carried on in the said name of Bradbury & Company in partnership between the Executors of the late Mr. John Frederick Bradbury and the said Mr. William Hollinshed Brady and myself.

Dated this 15th day of November, 1916.

5943 JOHN KNOWLES.

BOMBAY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION.

ADDITIONAL MOTIONS to the following effect, of which notices have been received, will be placed before the Ordinary Monthly Meeting of the Corporation called for Thursday, the 16th November 1916, at 3 p.m. (B.T.):—

82. From Mr. Cowasji Jehangir—For obtaining a report as to the measures that are being taken by the Municipality to prevent the spread of plague from Poona, etc., to this City.

83. From Mr. H. P. Mody—For appointing Mr. Jehangir B. Petit to be a member of the Procedure Rules Committee.

By order of the President,
R. P. MASANI,
Municipal Secretary.

Municipal Corporation Office,
Bombay, 14th November, 1916.
5956

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

AGENTS are to be appointed in every important town in India and Ceylon with the exception of the province of Bengal, for the recruitment of skilled and unskilled labour for the Mesopotamia and East African Railways and Marine ratings for the Inland Water Transport, Basra. All those who are capable of undertaking the supply of labour and who can guarantee the fulfilment of their Contracts are invited to apply to the Undersigned for terms and full particulars.

J. HARFORD,
Superintending Engineer,
Wadi Bunder Concentration Camp,
5733 Bombay.

PUBLIC NOTICES

LOST.

ONE CHEQUE on the BANK OF BOMBAY bearing No. E. 137314/c.c., dated the 8th November, 1916, for Rupees Fifty Thousand only, drawn by us in favour of Mr. Sukhanand Shamlal or bearer has been LOST. Any one negotiating the same will do so at his own risk.

(Sd.) VARDHMAN JETSEY & Co.,
5887 Dubra Gully, Mandvi, Bombay.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

ADVERTISERS are requested to note that the management cannot guarantee to insert advertisements in the "Bombay Chronicle" unless the copies reach this office before 6-0 p.m., (S.T.)

MANAGING DIRECTOR.
"Bombay Chronicle."

Bombay, 30th August, 1916.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that JANUBAI, daughter of ANTONE PASCOALKINY and widow of Pascoal Misquita has contracted to sell to the Purchasers, who are our clients the undermentioned property.

All persons having any interest therein or claim thereto or in or to any part thereof either by way of gift, inheritance, mortgage, charge, lease, lien, trust, or otherwise howsoever are requested to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office at Standard Buildings, Hornby Road, Fort Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof failing which the said sale will be completed without reference to any such interest or claim and the same if any will be treated as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

FIRST:—All that piece or parcel of land of Foras freehold tenure redeemed containing by admeasurement about 325 square yards or thereabouts situate at Mingut Mandly Parel in the Island and Sub-Registration District of Bombay bearing Collector's New No. E 2/12023 and New Survey No. 5—6/3009 and bounded on the North by the property formerly of Joao Doming King and now of the purchasers, on the south by property formerly of D. D. Kiny and now of the purchasers on the East by the property formerly of D. D. Kiny and now of the purchasers and on the West by the property formerly of F. J. Kiny and now of the purchasers.

SECONDLY:—All that piece or parcel of land or Foras freehold tenure redeemed containing by admeasurement about 589 square yards or thereabouts situate at Mingut Mandly Parel in the Island and Sub-Registration District of Bombay bearing Collectors New No. E 2/12023 and New Survey No. 5—6/3009 and bounded on the North partly by the property formerly of Joao Doming Kiny and now of the purchasers on the South and West by the property formerly of D. D. Kiny and now of the purchasers and on the East by property formerly or Moroba Bhivji and now of the purchasers.

Dated this 14th day of November, 1916.

CRAIGIE BLUNT & CAROE,
Purchasers' Attorneys.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that Bai SERINBAI JAMSHEDJI PESIKAKA, widow an administratrix of the estate of JAMSHEDJI RUSTOMJI PESIKAKA, deceased, an FESTONJEE DINSHAW PUNTHAKY, administrator of the estate of MEHERBAI PESTONJEE PUNTHAKEY, both of Bobay, Parsi Inhabitants, have contracted toell to our client the property hereunder deribed. All persons having claims against th said property by way of inheritance, gil mortgage, lease, lien, sale or otherwise, ar hereby required to make the same known inwriting to the undersigned at their office sitate at No. 91, Medows Street, Fort, Bomba within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the purchase will be completed wiout reference to such claims and the same wi if any, be considered as waived.

ESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of leasehold land or ound together with the messuages, tenemes and buildings thereon situate lying anbeing at Love Lane, Mazagon, within thIsland of Bombay, containing by admeurement sixteen thousand two hundred antwenty-one square yards or thereabouts anbounded as follows:—That is to say, on or wards the North partly by the Love Lan aforesaid and partly formerly by the lanin the occupation of the trustees of the Bomy Scottish Education Society and now in e occupation of the City of Bombay Improment Trust, on or towards the South par by the property in the occupation of Ardhir Cawasji Patel, bearing New Survey No.337 and partly by the property formerly longing to Mr. Kharshedji Maneckji Seth now belonging to Messrs. Linde and Co. aring New Survey No. 1A/3674, on or towls the East by a passage and on or towls the West partly by the premises of hkeshwar Temple bearing New Survey No. 3674 and partly by Hansraj Lane and whi said premises hereby demised are now the occupation of the Vendors and theienants and are assessed by the Collector Bombay under Old Nos. 37, 52, New Nos 268 and 1628?, Old Survey No. 661 and 660 Survey No. 1/3672, 1/3672, and assessed by Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxunder E. Ward Nos. 6162, 4721, 4722 and 26 and Street Nos. 5, 3, 1 at 5.

Dd this 10th day of November, 1916.

MSUKHLAL HIRALAL MEHTA & Co.,
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SALE BY AUCTION

NOTICE

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE with reference to the notice of sale advertised in this paper on the 14th instant by Messrs. K. A. Readymoney and Co. in respect of property belonging to me that there is no mortgagee in possession of my property as wrongly stated in the aforesaid notice; I further give notice that Messrs. K. A. Readymoney and Co. have no authority of any kind whatsoever to effect any such sale in respect of any property belonging to me at Watson's Annexe or elsewhere.

E. W. GAUTRAY.

Bombay, 14th November, 1916.

GANDHI & CO.

AUCTIONEERS & COMMISSION AGENTS.
No. 52 Medows Street.

SALE TO-DAY AT 2-30 P.M. (S. T.), AT HORNBY ROAD, MANEK BUILDING, JUST OPPOSITE TO DWARKADAS BUILDING.

Auction sale of office and household teak and blackwood rich and strong furniture consisting of rich tapestry and leather lined drawing room suites, dining table, and dining chairs, office writing and typewriting tables, lady's tables, cane arm and armless chairs, almyrahs, glass door cupboards, fancy dressing chest of drawers, teapoys, iron and wooden cots, marble top centre and octagon tables, book stands, phonographs, records, hosiery, glassware etc., etc.

THIS DAY WEDNESDAY, the 15th November, 1916, at 2-30 p.m. (S. T.), Messrs. GANDHI and Co., will sell by public auction at the above premises (where the goods have been arranged for sale) very rich teak and black wood office and household furniture, including fancy tapestry and leather lined drawing room suites, dining tables, and chairs, office writing and typewriting tables, lady's tables, cane arm and armless chairs, almyrahs glass door cupboard, fancy chest of drawers, fancy tiled teapoys, leather lined sofas and easy chairs, perambulators, iron and wooden cots, hatstands, marble top centre and octagon tables, book stands, phonographs records, one lot hosiery including socks, neckties, under shirts, collars etc., galichas, crockery etc., etc.

The above is on view.

A SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY FOR INVESTMENTS IN IMMOVEABLE PROPERTY.

AUCTION SALE OF AN IMMOVEABLE PROPERTY AT GAIWADY AT MAHIM.

Under instructions from Messrs. Rustamji and Ginwala, Attorneys for the mortgagees, and on account and at the risk of Haji Suleman Haji Joosub, the mortgagor, and in exercise of the Power of Sale reserved to the mortgagees in the Indenture of Mortgage, dated the 18th day of December, 1914, Messrs. GANDHI and Co., Auctioneers, will put up for sale by Public Auction on the premises on THURSDAY, the 23rd day of November, 1916, at 4-30 p.m. (S. T.), the immoveable property comprised in the said Indenture of Mortgage and described hereunder.

SCHEDULE.

All that piece or parcel of vacant land or ground of Pension and Tax Tenure, situate lying and being at Gaiwady at or near Mahim, in the City and Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 897½ (eight hundred ninety-seven and half) square yards or thereabouts forming part of the land entered in the Books of the Collector of Pension and Tax under Old No. 485, New No. 4313, Old Survey No. 26/9 and New Survey No. 9 and bounded as follows:—That is to say on or towards the East by a passage, and beyond it by premises of Bai Jewoobai and Nana Goldsmith and Haji Aba Ally and on or towards the West partly by a sweeper's passage and partly by the property of Haji Tyeb Mahomed, on or towards the North by Second Lohar Chawl Street and on or towards the South by the property of Krishnarao Sadanand and Brothers.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, applications should be made to Messrs. Rustamji and Ginwala at their office at 373, Hornby Road, in Fort or to the undersigned at their office No. 52, Medows Street, Fort.

GANDHI & Co.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 15th November, 1916.

CRAWFORD & CO.

AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION AGENTS.
10, Apollo Street, Fort.
Telephone No. 521.

AUCTION SALE OF THE RIGHT, TITLE, INTEREST AND SHARE OF THE INSOLVENT IN THE LANDED PROPERTY AT MAUZL BELHUNGAL, SUB-DIVISION TALUKA SAMPGAON, DIVISION BELGAUM.

Under instructions from B. N. Lang, Esq., the Official Assignee, Bombay and the Assignee of the estate and effects of Kalliani Umersey, an Insolvent, Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co., will sell by public auction on MONDAY, the 27th day of November, 1916, at 4-30 p.m. (S. T.), at their Auction Rooms No. 16, Apollo Street, opposite the Government Dockyard, Fort, Bombay, the right, title, interest and share of the said Insolvent in the following landed property.

Particulars—All that piece or parcel of land admeasuring 1 acre and 10 gunthas and assessed at Rs. 1-8 being the southern portion of the Rayatwa Land, bearing Revision Survey No. 451, measuring 421 acres and 3 gunthas, assessed at Rs. 36, situate in the field lands at Mauzl Belhungal Sub-Division Taluka Sampgaon, Division Belgaum. The four boundaries thereof are as follows:—On the east, the land of Baslingappa Galannavar, on the West, the land of Javaliyavar, which is given on rent to Vallubhdas Kallianji Ginning Factory, on the North, the land out of the said number, which belongs to Chanbasappa bin Malleshappa and others, and on the South, the road leading to Hale Murgod beyond that the land of Wamon Venkoba Kamat.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to Messrs. Mansukhlal Hiralal Mehta & Co., Salicitors for the said Official Assignee at their office in Hummum Street, Fort, Bombay, or to the Undersigned.

CRAWFORD & Co.,
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Bombay, 15th November, 1916.

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AUCTION SALE OF VERY VALUABLE LANDED PROPERTIES AT THE JUNCTION OF TARDEO ROAD AND SLEATER ROAD.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, the 15th Nov. 1916, at 5 p.m. (S.T.), Messrs. BENNETT & Co. will sell by Public Auction, on the premises, the following valuable properties belonging to the Estate of the late Mr. Bomonji Edulji Cashinath, at first in one lot and if not so sold at the reserve price then in two separate lots:—

All that piece of leasehold land admeasuring 1,395 square yards together with bungalows, messuages, houses and shops standing thereon situate at the junction of Tardeo Road and Slater Road being a portion of a large piece of land registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old Nos. 54—55,104, 150, 151, 307, 378, 385, and 388, New Nos. 13555—13654, 13655, 13829, 13891, 13893 and 13895 Old Survey Nos. 210, 202, 204, 205, 206 and 207 New Survey No. 7049 and registered by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Taxes D Ward Nos. 3688 (8E) 3681 (1), (2), (3) Street Nos. 19D Sleater Road and Nos. 23—25 53a—53b Tardeo Road.

LOT NO. 1.

A portion of the above land admeasuring 931 square yards with the shops and a house bearing D Ward Nos. 3688 (8E) 3689 (1), 3689 (2).

LOT NO. 2.

A portion of the above land admeasuring 464 square yards with the house bearing D Ward No. 3689 (3).

Although the above property stand on a leasehold ground, still no ground rent is payable to the lessor. The property realises Rs. 515 per month by way of rent.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Messrs. Wadia Gandhi and Co., Solicitors, or to the Undersigned.

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Nov. 14th.

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"	Marwada	for	Karachi

*To arrive.

Nov. 14.

S. S. Penang Maru:—The N. Y. K. steamer Penang Maru left Singapore for Hongkong (Eastward bound) on the 13th instant.

S. S. Bombay Maru:—The N. Y. K. steamer Bombay Maru left Colombo for Bombay on the 13th instant, and is due here on Thursday evening, the 16th instant.

S. S. Kurohima Maru:—The steamer Kurohima Maru, 2,272 tons, Captain K. Nishikawa, sailed yesterday from the Bombay harbour for Rangoon, with ballast.

Tuesday, 14th November, 1916.

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2 Moyori Maru	Taniguchi	S. Y. K.
6 Kasato Maru	Hori	O. S. K.
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Pinemore (s) 8,030 cwts. linseed, M. B. Kaisha; 15,017 cwts. barley, Ralli Brothers; 8,004 cwts. castor seed, M. B. Kaisha; 10,500 cwts. cotton seed, Louis Dreyfus and Co.; 5,080 cwts. linseed, Louis Dreyfus and Co.; 8,008 cwts. linseed, E. D. Sassoon and Co.; 4,000 cwts. castor seed, E. D. Sassoon and Co.; 4,002 cwts. rape seed, E. D. Sassoon and Co.; 4,000 cwts. castor seed, Ralli Brothers.

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S. S. Novara from Shanghai, Agents M. M. and Co.— 63 cases peppermint crystals, 295 cases camphor, 2 cases musical instruments, 75 cases vegetable wax, 10 cases cotton flannel, 5,089 bags sugar, 48 casks alum, 10 cases perfumery, 9 cases spectacles, 1 case gangles, 130 cases munsil, 10 cases cassia oil, 350 cases 11 packages preserves, 3 cases glass globes, 29 cases glass tumblers, 2 cases umbrella sticks, 23 cases waste silk yarn, 95 cases glass chimney, 17 bags turmuric, 4 bales tarpaulin, 157 boxes silver sycee, 2,000 bundles hoops, 8 cases 6 bundles fine silk, 75 bales waste silk, 365 cases cassia, 34 cases provisions, 10 cases cube sugar, 1 cask zinc oxide, 25 cases vermillion, 9 cases woollen goods, 21 cases silk and cotton goods, 5 bales 268 cases cotton goods, 492 cases 9 bales 71 packages silk goods, 446 slabs tin, 89 cases glass bangles, 541 packages 842 cases 812 chests tea, 172 bags sago, 261 cases 5 bales silk, 398 bags rice, 1,143 bales raw silk, 10 bags pepper, 438 bundles rattan, 200 cases cassia liquid, 24 baskets china roots, 16 cases paper, 1 case wine, 5 cases cigars, 228 bags betelnuts, 25 bags stick lac, 5 bags nutmegs, 9 bags cubebs, 5,000 cases preserved meat, 48 bags sago flour.

S. S. Luzon Maru, from Kobe, Agents O. S. Kaisha,—107 cases camphor, 71 cases glass bangles, 20 baskets china roots, 9 cases paper, 100 cases cassia, 2 cases fine silk, 4 cases yellow silk, 550 bags sugar, 25 cases spun silk yarn, 56 cases cotton goods, 500 casks cement, 108 drums bleaching powder, 148 cases confectionery, 90 rolls matting, 1 case perfumery, 8 cases glass beads, 77 cases nitric acid, 7 cases mousselin, 8 cases umbrella furniture, 35 cases glass chimney, 14 cases walking sticks, 2 cases spectacles, 83 cases 12 bales cotton yarn, 117 bales cotton shirting, 2 cases cotton blankets, 2 bales canvas, 11 cases porcelainware, 100 casks red lead, 45 cases glass bottles, 1,467 bags copra, 1 case milk, 172 slabs tin, 2,728 bundles rattan, 189 cases 120 chests tea, 1 barrel colour, 2 cases shawls, 19 bundles sapanwood, 15 bundles 4 bags almonds, 16 bags 9 chests cardamoms, 14 bags cocoa, 21 cases chocolate, 2 cases cognac, 1 case silk goods, 1,830 bags sago, 235 bags nutmegs, 3 bundles copper pots, 45 bags lamer bater, 1 case mace, 1 case cigarettes, 133 bags betelnuts, 882 pieces 138 bundles planks, 120 bags putch leaves.

S. S. Anyo Maru, from Busreh, Agents M. M. Shirazee,—7,807 baskets 135 cases 2,954 bags dates, 9 bags 2 cases drug, 2 bags goat hair, 156 bundles skins, 260 cases 2 jottas 102 packages rose water, 93 bags almond kernels, 3 bundles attari, 7 bags oomah, 2 cases salab, 2 bundles cow hides, 4 bundles piece-goods, 97 bundles 7 bags wool, 83 bags pistachi, 1 bag googal, 3 cases alloo bookhar, 1 jottas 6 bales 29 bags 19 bundles M. roots, 105 bags 16 cases almond seeds, 29 bags C. seeds, 35 bags figs, 319 bags raisins, 480 bags almonds, 65 bundles 27 cases 5 bales 288 jottas assafoetida.

WEATHER REPORT

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SIMLA, Nov. 14.

The monsoon is now confined to southern half of the Peninsula where rain has been nearly general except on Malabar coast.

The only important fall is one or two inches at Madras.

Forecast:—No great change.

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

Summary of observations recorded at 8 hours on Tuesday, the 14th November 1916, giving data for the preceding 24 hours.

The Punjab.—Skies are very lightly clouded in the extreme north and clear elsewhere. Temperature is in defect in the east Punjab.

The United Provinces.—Skies are generally clear. Temperature is generally in defect.

Sind and Rajputana.—Skies are clear. Day temperature is in defect except in lower Sind; night temperature is also below normal in upper Sind and the northern districts of Rajputana.

Gujarat, Kathiawar and Central India West.—Skies are clear. Humidity is normal or in defect.

The Central Provinces.—Skies are clear. Night temperature is in excess at some stations.

The Konkan.—Skies are clear or very lightly clouded.

The Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad.—Skies are clear or lightly clouded. The air is damper than usual. Night temperature is in excess in Hyderabad.

General Remarks.—Rainfall has increased in the southern half of the peninsula; it has been nearly general on the north Coromandel Coast and in the Madras Deccan and south-east Madras and local in south Malabar.

Fairly general rain is likely in south-east Madras. A few showers may occur on the north Madras coast and in the Madras Deccan and Malabar.

TEMPERATURE IN BOMBAY.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, COLABA.

Bombay, 13th Nov. 1916.

Means of observations taken at 6 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 4 p.m. and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected to 32 deg Fahr.	29.951 Inch.
Temperature of Air	81.4 Deg.
Wet Bulb Thermometer	74.6 "
Dew Point	71.9 "
Relative humidity of Air	0.737 "
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky cloudy—10)	0.2 "
Maximum temperature of Air	87.9 "
Minimum ...do...	74.1 "
General direction of Wind from midnight to midnight	ENE, WNW, NNW.
Movement of Wind in 24 hours from midnight to midnight	122 Miles.

SUN, MOON AND TIDES IN BOMBAY.

The folbwing are the hours and heights of the tides in Bombay Harbour during the ensuing week. Hour stated in Bombay Mean Time depth of water is at Prince's Dock:—

Day of Week.	Day of Month.	HIGH WATER. Bombay Mean time.		Depth on Still.		Day of Month.	LOW WATER. Bombay Mean time.		Depth on Still.	
	Nov		h. m.	ft	in.	Nov		h. m.	ft.	in.
Tues.	14	m	1 47	27	8	14	m	7 48	20	0
			1 23a	24	9			7 11a	17	2
Wed	15	m	2 19	27	0	15	m	8 23	20	5
			2 [illegible]	24	6			7 45a	18	1
Thu	16	m	2 54	26	5	16	m	9 18	20	8
			2 48a	23	7			8 20a	19	0
Fri.	17	m	3 37	25	10	17	m	10 39	20	9
			3 50a	23	2			9 18a	19	11
Sat	18	m	4 19	25	5	18	m	11 58	20	4
			5 11a	23	2			10 42a	20	7
Sun.	19	m	5 28	25	2	19				
			6 35a	23	8			0 50a	19	8
Mon.	20	m	6 23	25	3	20	m	0 19	20	10
			7 44a	24	7			1 33a	18	9

The following are the hours of sunrise and sunset according to Indian Standard Time during the ensuing week:—

Nov.		Sunrise.	Sunset
" 14	(Tuesday)	" 6h. 45m.	" 6h. 1m.
" 15	(Wednesday)	" 6h. 46m.	" 6h. 1m.
" 16	(Thursday)	" 6h. 47m	" 6h. 1m.
" 17	(Friday)	" 6h. 47m.	" 6h. 1m.
" 18	(Saturday)	" 6h. 48m.	" 6h. 0m.
" 19	(Sunday)	" 6h. 48m.	" 6h. 0m.
" 20	(Monday)	" 6h. 49m.	" 6h. 0m.

PHASES OF THE MOON:—

First Quater	1917 Nov.	2nd,	11h. 20.6m. p.m.
Full Moon	" "	10th.,	1h. 48.0m. a.m.
Last Quarter	" "	18th.,	3h. 30.5m. a.m.
New Moon	" "	25th.,	2h. 20.4m. p.m.

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COMMERCIAL.

CABLE QUOTATIONS.

COTTON.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

Liverpool, Nov. 13th.

	Bales.
Total Day's Sales at Liverpool	10,000
" " Sales on Spec. & for Exp.	1,000
" " Sales of East Indian	..
" " Imports	10,000
Mid. Americans	11.49
Egyptian F. G. F.	19.80
New York 11 a.m. (As known in Liverpool at closing time.) Jan.	19.55
March	19.7
New Orleans 10 a.m. Jan.	19.4
March	19.4

OPENING TONE AND PRICES.

Liverpool, Nov. 13th.

Total Imports 10,000

FUTURE DELIVERY PRICES:—

Months.	To-day's opening price.	
November	11.34	unchgd.
Nov.-Dec.	11.32	
Dec.-Jan.	11.33	
Jan.-Feb.	11.36	
Feb.-Mar.	11.42	
Mar.-Apl.	11.47	
Apl.-May	11.51	
May-June	11.54	+ 2
June-July	11.56	
July-Aug.	11.57	
Aug.-Sept.	11.35	
Sept.-Oct.	10.90	
Oct.-Nov.	10.74	+11
Nov.-Dec.	10.67	

Prices taken at 10-10 a.m. nearest actual values.

CLOSING PRICES.

Liverpool, Nov. 13th.

Months.	To-day's closing price.
November	11.37 + 3
Nov.-Dec.	11.35 + 3
Dec.-Jan.	11.35 + 2
Jan.-Feb.	11.40 + 4
Feb.-March	11.45 + 5
March-April	11.50 + 5
April-May	11.54 + 5
May-June	11.60 + 6
June-July	11.60 + 6
July-Aug.	11.60 + 5
Aug.-Sept.	11.36 + 3
Sept.-Oct.	10.99 + 10
Oct.-Nov.	10.84 + 11
Nov.-Dec.	10.81 + 25

CLOSING EGYPTIAN FUTURE PRICES.

Liverpool, Nov. 13th.

	To-day's price.
January	19.05—48
March	19.36—45
May	19.44—44

AMERICAN MARKETS.

New York, Nov. 13th.

Day's Receipts at all U. S. Ports	37,000
Day's Exports to Great Britain	14,000
" " " to Continent	14,000
Futures at New York January	19.73 + 38
" " March	19.91 + 43
Spot Cotton at New York	19.30 + 10
" " Orleans	19.19 + 19
Futures at New Orleans January	19.33 + 33
" " March	19.30 + 36
Fair Rio Coffee (No. 7 quality)	9½
Demand Bills	4.75.50
Silver Commercial Bars	71½

MONEY MARKET.

London, Nov. 13th.

Bar Silver Spot	34 3/16
Closing Tone of Silver:—Mint and India and China Buying. Closed Steady.	
Discount, Bank of England rate 6 per cent. since 13th July 1916.	
Discount Bank Bills 3 m/st	5⅝
" Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st	5½
" Fine Trade Bills 3 months	5½
" " " " 6 "	6½
Interest day to day loans	4½
" 7 day market loans	4½
Consols 2½%	55—½
Rupee Paper 3½% Nominal	49½ No change
Indian Stock 3½% Sterling Loan	64½—½
Government Securities 3%	56½—½
Ex. On London at Paris Francs	27.80 No change

WAR LOANS.

London Nov. 13th.

3½ %1925—1928	£84¼ + ¼
4½ %1925—1945	£96 + ½

EXTRA ALLOTMENTS.

London, Nov. 13th.

TRANSFERS.

On Calcutta Rs. 10,00,000 } 1/4 5/32.
" Bombay " 19,50,000 }
" Madras " 7,00,000 }

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

London, Nov. 13th.

WHEAT.

Wheat Choice White Karachi, per 492 lbs. C.I.F. On passage. Sellers	80
Wheat Afloat for United Kingdom	1,945,000
LINSEED.	
Linseed Calcutta Nov.-Dec. Paid	99
METALS.	
English best Selected Copper	£116¾
Standard Copper G.M.B	£136½
Copper Braziers	£167
Yellow Metal	16
Hard Spelter	45
FREIGHT.	
Coals:—Cardiff to Bombay Canal.—Nominal.	
JAVA SUGAR.	
Raw Java Nos. 16/18 C. & F. Calcutta Jan.-Feb.	24/9
Raw Java, C. & F. Bombay Jan.-Feb.	25
Do. Karachi Jan.-Feb.	25/1
Fine White Java C. & F. Calcutta Jan.-Feb.	27/9
Do. do. Bombay Jan.-Feb.	28
Do. do. Karachi Jan.-Feb.	28/1

Tone—Firmer.

BOMBAY MARKETS.

COTTON.

(From our Commercial Correspondent.)

Nov. 14.

The market to-day opened at Rs. 393 for M. G. Good Broach and has fluctuated about Re. 1. There has been very little enquiry either from the bazaar or from shippers and no business of any importance has been reported.

Ready cotton is in good demand.

G. M. G. Broach, 392½, April.
F. G. Bengal, 293, January.
F. Bengal, 307⅛, January.
F. K/Akola, 368, January.

MESSRS PATEL BROS. APPROXIMATE QUOTATIONS AT MID-DAY,

Bombay, Nov. 14th.

DESCRIPTION.		DELIVERY. Jan. 1917	Mar. 1917.	April 1917	SPOT * COTTON
Broach,	Good M.G	..	..	391	..
Broach,	Fine M.G.	..	400	..	New
Bengal,	Fine M.G.	294	..	..	285/15
Bengal,	Fine M.G.	308	..	..	310/19
Bengal,	Superfine M.G.	..	..	..	312/26
Rajputana,	Fine M.G.	..	..	..	..
Sind Panjab,	Fine M.G.	..	..	..	..
Kham. Akola	Fine M.G.	368/69	..	..	375/75
Ellich/Amraoti,	Fine M.G.	..	..	..	..
Dhamg./Pulgaon,	Fine M.G.	..	..	..	..
Yeotmal,	Fine M.G.	..	..	..	..
Nagpore,	Fine M.G.	..	..	..	..
Hingt./Wardha,	Fine G.M.	..	..	..	..
Khandeish,	Fine M.G.	350	..	..	345/55
Khandeish,	F.G. M.G.	..	..	..	..
Khandwa Sanawad,	F.G. M.G.	..	..	..	..
Jalna	F.G. M.G.	..	..	..	..
Indore,	F.G. M.G.	..	..	..	..
Ujjain,	F.G. M.G.	..	..	..	..
Nander,	F.G. M.G.	..	..	..	..
Mathia,	Fine M.G.	..	..	..	..
Mathia,	F.G. M.G.	..	..	..	Old
Saw Ginned Dharwar	Good	..	..	..	375/85
Coompta,	Good M.G.	..	..	..	405/15
Westerns,	Good M.G.	..	..	..	385/95
Westerns	Good H.G.	..	..	..	375/85

THE BOMBAY COTTON EXCHANGE CO., LTD.

Market Quotation for Ready and Forward Delivery Contracts as fixed by the Rate Committee of the Exchange.

COLABA, 14th November, 1916, 5-30 p.m.

Growths.	Super-fine.	Fine Good.	Fully Good.	Delivery.
Bengals (M.G.)	320	307	292	.. 1/25th Jan. 17
Bengals (M.G.)	328	313	298	.. Ready new crop
Scinde-Punjab (M.G.)	..	307	292	.. Ready new crop
	..	309	294	.. 1/25th Jan. 17
Khandesh (M.G.)	..	353	338	.. Ready new crop
	..	347	330	.. 1/25th Jan. 17
Akola Khamg. Karanja (M.G.)	..	..	..	..
	..	..	..	..
	..	383	368	.. Ready new crop
	..	367	333	.. 1/25th Jan. 17
Oomrawatee descriptions (M.G.)	..	..	..	..
	..	3 0	356	.. Ready new crop
	..	373	359	.. 1/25th Jan. 17
Dhamangaum Poolgaum (M.G.)	..	..	..	..
	..	373	362	.. 1/25th Jan. 17
Yeotmal (M.G.)	..	..	..	..
	..	380	366	.. 1/25th Jan. 17
Nagpore Kampti (M.G.)	..	..	..	..
	..	376	362	.. Ready new crop
Wardha H'ghat (M.G.)	..	384	370	.. 1/25th Jan. 17
	..	..	..	..
Broach (M.G.)	..	401	..	.. 1/25th Mar 17
	..	..	..	392½ 1/25th Apl. 17
Wadhwan (H.G.)	..	..	..	..
	..	..	..	..
Mathia (M.G.)	..	349	334	.. Ready new crop
	..	344	327	.. 1/25th Jan. 17
Bhagalkote-Bijapur (M.G.)	..	..	..	400 Ready old crop
	..	..	..	..
Sawgd. Dharwar	..	..	..	370 Ready old crop
	..	..	..	..
Westerns (M.G.)	..	..	..	393 Ready old crop
Westerns (H.G.)	..	..	..	383 Ready old crop
	..	..	..	..
Compta (M.G.)	..	..	..	410 Ready old crop
	..	..	..	..
Miraj (M.G.)	..	..	..	414 Ready old crop
	..	..	..	..

WHEAT AND SEEDS.

Bombay, Nov. 14th—4 p.m.

The following are to-day's closing rates as issued by the Marwari Chamber of Commerce.

Ready.	Bazaar Terms. Rs.	a.	p.	Rail Delivery Rs.	a.	p.
Wheat, White Delhi 70-30	41	0	0	6	6	0
Wheat, White Cawnpore 70-30	40	8	0	6	5	0
Wheat, Karachi Bangla	41	0	0	6	7	0
Rapeseed, Brown Delhi	7	6	0	7	12	0
Rapeseed, Brown Cawnpore	7	4	0	7	10	0
Rapeseed, Yellow Cawnpore	7	5	0	7	11	0
Linseed, Brown Bold	11	3	0	11	9	0
Linseed, Brown Thin	11	0	0	11	6	0
Teelseed, White 85-15	49	0	0	10	8	0
" Gajar 75-25	47	0	0	10	2	0
" Black	38	0	0	....		
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Poppyseed, White	7	6	0	7	14	0
Groundnuts	45	0	0	....		
Mowraseed	4	0	0	4	5	0
Jowa	32	0	0	5	0	0
Arandi	38	0	0			
Forward.	Rs.	a.	p.			
Wheat April-May	6	4	3			
Linseed May	12	3	9			
Teelseed White 85-15 Dec./Jan.	10	8	0			
Teelseed Gajar 75-25 Dec./Jan.	10	2	0			
Teelseed Gajar 50-50 Dec./Jan.	9	8	0			
Rapeseed April.-May.	7	6	0			

SHARE MARKET.

(From our Correspondent.)

BOMBAY, Nov. 14.

Both the Cotton Mill and Tata Iron and Steel shares opened with a brisk inquiry to-day and the prices showed an upward trend. There was a fair rise especially in some of the Cotton Mill shares and the closing tone was steady indicative of latent strength.

Central and Manganese Companies shares also displayed some activity and improved in quotations.

Mill shares for December delivery Davidson improved and closed at Rs. 540.

Tulbhai were placed at prices varying from Rs. 610 to Rs. 625, Standards from Rs. 535 to Rs. 1460, Madhavji from Rs. 1540 to Rs. 1560 and Central India from Rs. 2340 to Rs. 2355.

Swadeshi moved up to Rs. 1725.

Crimbhai advanced to Rs. 317½. Crescent to Rs. 195, Indore Malwas to Rs. 412½ and Indian Bleachings to Rs. 260.

The Iron and Steel Ordinary shares were placed between Rs. 320 to Rs. 325. Deferred advanced to Rs. 1270.

The Hydro Electric Ordinary shares advanced to Rs. 1225.

Sirajpoors improved to Rs. 56½ and Central Mining to Rs. 59½.

Kurla Cement Ordinary shares were placed at Rs. 290 and Deferred at Rs. 1070.

Bombay Telephones were placed at Rs. 212½.

Bombay Steam Ordinary shares kept steady at Rs. 290 and Bombay Electric Tramway Ordinary shares at Rs. 337½.

GOVERNMENT PAPER.

Business in 3½ per cent G. P. Notes was done in the vicinity of Rs. 75½.

4 per cent Conversion Loan was nominally quoted at Rs. 90½ and Warrant at Rs. 10.

STOCKS AND DEVERIES.

Stocks and Deliveries of Cotton, Silk and Woollen Piece-goods and Yarns, also of Copper and Yellow Metal Sheets (including deliveries from Dock-sheds to Railway-sidings.)

Description.		A Stock on 30th Sept. 1916.	B Imports during Oct. 1916.	C Stock on 31st Oct. 1916.	D Approximate total deliveries during Oct. 1916.	E Increase or Decrease.	F Actual deliveries from Port Trust & Importers' Godowns.	Corresponding Stocks on 31st Oct. 1915.	1914.	1913.	1912.	1911.
Cotton Piece-goods ..	Bales.	31,065	8,312	31,387	7,990	2	4,871	51,039	58,989	40,249	27,267	17,566
Cotton Piece-goods ..	Cases.	33,609	7,602	30,993	10,218	−6	7,078	54,840	96,560	64,551	38,172	34,853
Silk and Woollen Piece-goods	Bales.	273	396	314	349	1	26	568	1,249	955	757	853
Silk and Woollen Piece-goods	Cases.	942	1,479	947	1,474	5	154	1,402	2,585	3,148	2,786	2,668
Cotton Twist and Yarns	Packages.	6,436	3,020	7,180	2,276	4	1,360	8,638	11,049	6,694	8,903	6,256
Silk and Woollen Twist and Yarns	Packages.	2,449	471	2,670	250	1	245	2,932	1,459	2,741	2,418	1,461
Copper—Braziers ..	Tons.	2,531	4	2,341	202	8	202	4,062	4,667	2,055	1,616	3,387
Yellow Metal—Braziers	Tons.	778	51	726	103	2	68	1,837	3,620	1,564	1,731	3,186

N. B.—Approximate Total Deliveries (Column E) are arrived at by adding Column A and Column B and deducting therefrom (Column C). It should be noted however that the figures in Column B are obtained from the Bills of Entry and that the goods which they represent may not have been actually received in the Docks during the month named. The Total Delivery Figures therefore, which are worked out correctly in the long run, can only be considered as approximate in regard to each particular month.

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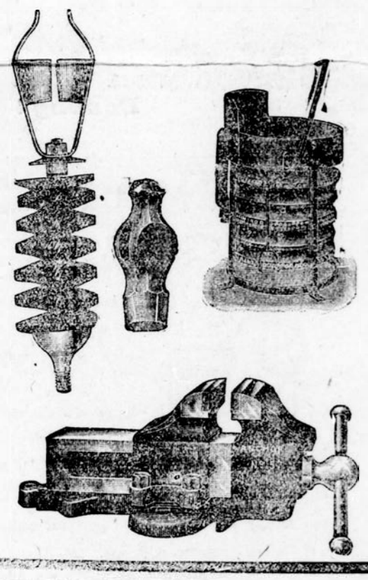

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BOMBAY CITY AND SUBURBS.

TO-DAY.

Parsi: 6th of Khordad, 1286.
Mahomedan: 18th of Mohorrum, 1333.
Hindu: 5th of Kartak Vad, 1973.
Sunrise: 6h. 45m.; Sunset: 6h. 1m.
Phases of the Moon: Last Quarter Nov. 18.

LOCAL ENGAGEMENTS.

Mails for the Straits Settlements, Saigon, Manilla and Hongkong via Negapatam will be closed at the General Post Office at 7-30 p.m.

Excelsior Theatre: New Bandmann Opera Co. (1917) Mr. "Manhattan" at 9-30 p.m.

Standing Committee Meeting of the Bombay Municipal Corporation, 4-10 p.m.

THURSDAY, Nov. 16.

English mail steamer Caledonia due at 5 a.m.

Excelsior Theatre: New Bandmann Opera Co. (1917) "Tina" at 9-30 p.m.

Meeting of the Bombay Municipal Corporation, 3-40 p.m.

FRIDAY, Nov. 17.

Great War Auction Sale of Cotton: Cotton Merchants' Association Rooms, Colaba, 3-45

Senate Meeting of the University of Bombay, Sir Cowasji Jehangir Hall, Fort, 5-45 p.m.

Excelsior Theatre: New Bandmann Opera Co. (1917) "Tina," at 9-30 p.m.

SATURDAY, Nov. 18.

Excelsior Theatre: New Bandmann Opera Co. (1917) "Tina," at 9-30 p.m.

DAILY.

Excelsior Theatre: Cinema at 6-30 and Bandman Opera at 9-30.

Olympia Cinema: Sandhurst Road, 6-30, 8-45 and 10 p.m.

Royal Opera House, Queen's Road, 6-45 and 10 p.m.

West End Cinema, Charni Road, 6-45, 8-30 and 10. p.m.

New Alexandra Cinema, Crawford Market, 7, 8-45 and 10-30 p.m.

1ST TROOP BOMBAY BADEN POWELL BOY SCOUTS.

Nov. 15.

Wednesday 15th:—Plain clothes parade on the Oval. Troop drill and signalling 5-30 p.m.

Cubs Signalling.

Saturday 17th:—Uniform parade on Oval at 4-30 p.m.

Scout Games. Scouts hats to be worn.

By Order,
A. G. FOOX,
A/S/M in charge 1st Troop Bombay
Baden Powell Boy Scouts.

BOMBAY LIGHT HORSE.

Squadron Orders by Lieut-Colonel Sir Stanley Reed Kt., V.D., C., Commanding.

Bombay, Nov. 15.

Orderly N. C. Officers for the week ending 18th November 1916, Sergeant C. H. Hewlett and Corporal D. Meldrum.

Riding School:—Riding School daily except Thursday for Recruits and Remounts at 7-15 a.m.

Squadron Parade:—The Squadron will parade to-morrow Thursday the 16th instant Rendezvous Church Gate Station 7-15 a.m.

Dress:—Drill order, Khaki shirts, rifles, swords and bandoliers.

Embarkation:—To-morrow Thursday the 16th instant B Troop 1 Sergeant and 6 men, 7 a.m. Jetty End, Alexandra Dock.

Leave.—The undernamed N. C. Officer is granted leave from Bombay.

Lance Corporal Jas Smith B Troop from 11th November to 10th December 1916.

NOTICE.

The Extra Training Camp advertised to open on the 18th instant is postponed to Saturday the 2nd December, owing to the late rains. The draft programme circulated to members will therefore stand good.

(Sd.) F. C. Annesley, 2nd Lieut.,
Acting Adjt. Bombay Light Horse.

BAND AT THE BOMBAY GYMKHANA.

By kind permission of Colonel T. W. Bonner V.D. and Officers the Band of the 1st Battn., G. I. P. Railway Volunteers, will play this evening a programme of music, under the direction of Mr. Hugh B. Mitchell Band Master, commencing at 6 p.m.

BAND AT THE ESPLANADE.

By kind permission of the Officers the Band of the 1st Battn., B. B. & C. I. Railway Volunteers, will play a selection of music under the direction of Mr. W. S. Walcott at Esplanade Bandstand this evening, commencing at 6 o'clock.

BOMBAY BRANCH OF THE ROYAL ASIATIC SOCIETY.

A general meeting of the above Society will be held this evening at 6 p.m. (S.T.)

INCOMING MAILS.

The R. M. S. Moolton which left London on the 27th ultimo and has on board the mails of the 3rd instant arrived at Port Said on Monday, the 13th instant.

ZOROASTRIAN BUILDING SOCIETY.

A meeting of the shareholders of the Zoroastrian Building Society Limited will be held this evening at 6 p.m. (S.T.) at the registered office of the Society, Kavarna Mansions, Princess Street.

MAILS FOR CHINA AND JAPAN.

Mails consisting of unregistered correspondence for Singapore, China and Japan per S. S. Kasato Maru will be closed at the General Post Office at 10 a.m. to-morrow.

MORTALITY IN BOMBAY.

There were three attacks and one death from plague on Monday, Khetwadi, Kamatipura and Tarneo reporting one attack each and Byculla one death. The total mortality from all causes was 63 against 61 on the corresponding day of last year and 66 on that of 1914.

MAILS FOR MESOPOTAMIA EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

Mails for the Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force, Henjam, Muscat, Fao, Bushire, Koweit Shabar, Jask, Linga, Bahrain, Dubai, Bandarabas, Mohomerah and Busra, will be closed at the Bombay General Post Office at 7-30 p.m. on Friday the 17th instant.

BOMBAY IMPROVEMENT TRUST.

An ordinary meeting of the Trustees for the Improvement of the City of Bombay was held yesterday when the Hon. Mr. J. P. Orr presided. The discussion on the Administration Report was postponed by the Board and some routine business was transacted.

PURDAH ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE GREAT WAR SALE.

Special arrangements have been made for Purdah ladies to draw their tickets for the Lucky Bag and view the prizes for the Lucky Bag between 11 a.m. and 1 on Tuesday next, the 21st inst. No prizes, however, will be allowed to be taken away between these hours.

CIRCLE LITTERAIRE.

For the benefit of students and those interested in the French language, the Cercle Litteraire has organized a series of lectures in French this term to be given by Mr. L. G. Khare, B.A. (Cantab), the first of which will be delivered in the rooms of the Cercle this evening at 6-15 p.m. (S. T.), on "The Origin of the French Tragedy."

A CHILD'S FATAL FALL.

Shunker Gariba, a Hindu boy, aged about four years, was playing on the verandah of the first floor of a building at Girgaon Road where he resided with his parents, when he fell through a gap in the railing on to the pavement below, a height of twelve feet. He was removed in an unconscious condition to the G. T. Hospital where, shortly after admission, he succumbed to his injuries.

BOMBAY SANITARY ASSOCIATION.

A first aid class was organized by the above Association at their premises in Princess Street in September last and students were examined by Dr. K. B. Shroff, on the 11th and 12th instants and the following were declared successful:—Miss Norah White, Miss Sherin P. Billimoria, Miss D. M. Priestley, Mr S. B. Savoor, Mr. T. M. Shridhar, Mr. Karmali Fazal, and Mr. S. V. Gupte.

FREE MATRICULATION CLASS.

A free Matriculation class to be conducted under the auspices of the Students' Circle will be opened on the 18th instant. The class will be held every Saturday and Sunday between 2-30 and 5 p.m. (S.T.) The following gentlemen have kindly consented to render honorary services for the class. Prof. N. M. Gidwani, and Mr. N. Y. Kashalkar for English, Prof. V. G. Rao and Mr. B. V. Mulay for French and Sanskrit respectively, Prof. R. D. Karve and Messrs. R. D. Kothare and R. N. Pillay for Mathematics.

REPORTED THEFTS.

Mr. Glynn Messent, residing at Love Lane, reports that his bungalow was entered into some time during Monday night and small silver articles of the collective value of Rs. 1,115 stolen.

Sheikh Abdul Nabibux, a peon in the B. S. N. Company, residing at Kamatipura, reports that his room was broken into, and ornaments and cash collectively valued at Rs. 941, carried away.

A FRESH AIR EXCURSION.

Under the auspices of the Social Service League, Bombay a party of about 100 boys consisting of 34 students from Tardeo Night School 37 from Chikalwadi Night School and 36 from Petit Mill New Compound Night School was taken to Andheri on Sunday on a Fresh Air Excursion. The boys were taken to the Jogeshwari Caves, whence they returned about 11 a.m. when dinner was served. From 12 in the noon till 3-30 in the evening the boys played different games such as Khokho and Atya Patya. The Hon. Mr. Lallubhai Samaldas who has promised to pay the expenses of this excursion paid a visit and was much pleased to see the boys enjoying the pleasure of the outing. The party returned to Bombay the same evening.

NEW ALEXANDRA CINEMA.

So long as the cinema detective story is a prime favourite,—and that will be exactly as long as one human being takes an interest in the doings of another,—so long will Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, with his redoubtable Sherlock Holmes, receive a warm welcome. "The Valley of Fear" to be shown at the New Alexandra Cinema from Saturday next, will, if such a thing were possible, greatly enhance Conan Doyle's reputation. To tell a good story and to tell it well is the primary object of the film producer as well as of the novelist and the dramatist of the ordinary stage. "The Valley of Fear" has been adapted to the screen by the British firm of the Samuelson Film Company. Although "The Valley of Fear" deals primarily with crime and its detection in the Sherlock Holmes' manner, it would be unfair to class the play simply as a detective story. Added to the threads of a deeply involved story of crime are the strands of as delightful a romance as ever graced the screen of a cinema. Each reel ends upon a high note of dramatic tensity, each carries the story on one more step towards its perfect climax.

A TOMMY'S COMPLAINT.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—I would like you to spare a few lines in your most valuable paper as I feel I am justified in making this complaint. I am a wounded gunner at present attached to another Battery since last May at ———. My two years service was completed last July; therefore I made an application for my proficiency pay which amounts to 6d. per diem. This 6d. per diem would be very handy for me at present as I have to find my own kit having lost my first issue at the Battle for Kut. All that has been given me by the Supreme Authorities of the Indian Army is one pair of boots, 1 suit of drill, 3 pairs of socks, 3 shirts and one helmet. These were all my worldly possessions until I managed to scrape a few annas together and improve my kit out of my own pocket. What I want to know is when is the Army going to repay me for this? They tell you you are under peace-time conditions and laws, yet they refuse to pay you your kit allowance, for the up-keep of kit. What chance has the poor Tommy who leaves one half of his pay to a crippled sister, when such things as these are allowed to exist? We know that several branches of the Army are in a very degraded position, but this one deserves as much investigation as any. Kindly oblige by publishing this letter in your daily.—Yours, etc.,

COCKNEY.

Mr. Kenneth Saunders, who has done excellent work in France and other centres in connection with the Y. M. C. A. arrived in Rangoon yesterday morning by the Bengala to raise funds for prosecuting the work of the Y. M. C. A. in Mesopotamia and East Africa.

BOMBAY POLICE COURTS.

ATTEMPT TO DISPOSE OF A MINOR GIRL

ACCUSED GETS ONE YEAR'S HARD LABOUR.

At Mazagon, the case was disposed of by the Fourth Presidency Magistrae in which one Rameshwar Bagbir Dayal was charged with having attempted to dispose of one Chandribai, a minor girl, for an illegal purpose.

The prosecution stated that the girl who lived at Kazipura with her husband was known to the accused and that she disappeared from home on the 1st November when her husband had gone to Chiplun. The accused then disposed of the girl the next day to one Chemabai, a woman residing at Kamatipura for Rs. 40.

The Magistrate convicted and sentenced the accused to one year's rigorous imprisonment.

ILLICIT DEALING IN COCAINE.

OLD OFFENDER SENTENCED.

Before the Chief Presidency Magistrate at the Esplanade Police Court Chief Excise Inspector Talyarkhan charged Abdul Raheman Gulam Hussain, a dealer in illicit cocaine with possessing one grain and selling half a grain of cocaine at Ghas Bunder on the 13th November.

The accused was convicted and sentenced to 18 months' and one month's rigorous imprisonment on the charges as he had many previous convictions.

OPIUM PROSECUTION,

SECOND ACCUSED FINED RS. 5.

Before the Chief Presidency Magistrate at the Esplanade Police Court, Sub-Inspector Gole charged a fireman Abdul Sawat Ahmed Alli and a baker Khimai Bakri with possessing about 2 lbs. of charus without a license.

The first accused was discharged, and the second was sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 5.

DISOBEYING ORDER OF DOCKMASTER

TINDALS FINED.

Before the Chief Presidency Magistrate at the Esplanade Police Court, Mr. J. Munster of the Bombay Port Trust charged a tindal of a barge, Ramji Huri, and another Babaji Raghoo with disobeying the orders of the Dockmaster on the 19th October last. They were sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 12 each.

CRIMINAL BREACH OF TRUST.

Before the Chief Presidency Magistrate at the Esplanade Police Court, Sub-Inspector Achreker charged Narayan Ramchandra, a tailor, with criminal breach of trust in respect of a piece of longcloth and also of silk which had been given to him for making up frocks by one Vithal Laxman, and which the accused pledged with a Marwari. The accused was sentenced to three months' rigorous imprisonment as he had a similar previous conviction.

MOTOR PROSECUTIONS.

Before the Third Presidency Magistrate at the Esplanade Police Court, Sergt. Lewis charged Munchershaw L. Cama with riding his motor-cycle without a light. He was sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 3.

Before the same Magistrate Sergt Lewis charged Gangaram Bhikaji, driver of motor-car No. 4140 with driving in a rash and negligent manner. It was stated that on the night of the 13th October the accused drove his car near Charni Road rashly and tried to pass other cars, which nearly resulted in a collision. When the accused was asked to stop he drove away at a speed of 20 to 25 miles per hour. The accused pleaded not guilty. He was fined Rs. 45 on both the charges.

Gaspar Demello was then charged with driving his motor with excess number of passengers on the night of 20th October He was fined Rs. 3.

G. B. Vachs was charged before the same Magistrate with driving his car on the 22nd October, 1916 without a rear light. He was fined Rs. 3.

KNOCKED DOWN BY A TAXI-CAB.

Taxi-cab No. 3728 was being driven along Hornby Road on Monday night by one Fredun Ardeshir Irani when Bomanji Hamji Kapadia, aged 42, stepped off the pavement in front of the establishment of Messrs Phillips and Company, and walked right in front of the car. Bomanji was knocked down and he sustained a few small wounds on the head. He was taken to the G. T. Hospital and detained for observation as he complained of pain in his back.

VICTORIA-MOTOR COLLISION.

Mr. F. Muir of Little Gibbs Road reports that about 11-15 p.m. on the 12th instant he was driving home in his car along Gibbs Road when his car struck the rear wheel of hack victoria No. 2187 which was standing near the Hanging Gardens under the shadow of a tree, and without lights. The impact caused the horse to fall, breaking the shafts, and the near front mud guard of the car was damaged. Mr. Muir stopped at once and gave every possible assistance in getting the horse up, which was not hurt.

STANDARD BAROMETER READING

The following information is publishe in order that vessels in the Bombay Harbour may by comparison with a standard instrument ascertain the errors of their barometers:—

The reading of the Standard Barometer in the Colaba Observatory corrected for index error and reduced to 80 deg. F. and to the level of the tide, at 8-45 a.m., Standard Time, on the 14th November 1916 was 30.221 inches. For temperature corrections applicable to mercurial barometer of ships the reading of the ship's barometer has to be increased or decreased by .031 inch for every 5 degrees according as the temperature of the attached thermometer is respectively below or above 80 deg. F. In case of the aneroid no temperature correction is needed. But for comparison at 80 deg. F. all aneroid readings should be increased by .138 inch. For correcting the ship's barometer either mercurial or aneroid for the height of the barometer cistern above the tide level in the streamers at 8-45 a.m. Standard Time, the ship's barometer reading should be increased by 10 inch for every 10 feet of the height to make it comparable with the observatory barometer reading given.

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sons who are not even residents of the locality, the Commissioner must use his absolute discretion which he is empowered to do by the law.

In Calcutta such theatres are allowed to be erected in any locality, so also in London and in all the principal towns of Europe. Yours, etc.,

Yours, etc.,
A LAWYER

Bombay, 13th Nov., 1916.

CINEMATOGRAPHS AND THE PUBLIC.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—In your issue of the 10th in the "Notes of the Day" column, while commenting on cinematographs and residents, you state that the Commissioner of Police seems to have ignored the attitude of the inhabitants of the locality in a case which has been brought to your notice.

I write this with some authority because I have been consulted by several people for petitioning the Police Commissioner for sites for cinema shows and I myself have had to approach the Commissioner of Police on various occasions for different clients in the cinema business and have been refused permission summarily, at least thrice.

When you say in the paragraph under heading "Proposed new theatres at Girgaum" that the late Police Commissioner refused sanction for the erection of a theatre in Mr. Tribhovandas Mangaldas's grounds, you are wrong because no application was made to the late Police Commissioner at all. It is true that in August last the present Commissioner of Police refused permission on two different occasions to the erection of a cinema theatre in Lamington Road, but the permission asked for was for a different site from the one which is at present being advertised. As a matter of fact,, to my knowledge, Mr. Vincent refuses permission when he has any *prima facie* objections to any site, either from a police point of view or from any other point of view. In such cases he does not even allow any advertisements to be given. In cases where he doesn't see any *prima facie* objection himself, he allows advertisements to be given, as required by the rules which control and regulate places of amusement, in the city of Bombay; he then receives and considers complaints and either refuses a license or grants it, according as he considers the complaints reasonable or otherwise.

I know personally that one gentleman who has been interested in the cinema business has been trying to obtain a license for the last two years, and he only succeeded in getting one last month for a site at the junction of the top of Lamington Road with Foras Road. He was actually refused permission on five or six different occasions and when he at last succeeded in getting a license last month, I can personally vouch that the site selected is a most suitable one and could not possibly be reasonably objected to by any sensible person. I further know that before granting the license the Commissioner went into a most exhaustive enquiry, visited the site on several occasions personally with his deputies and then granted the license. I am aware that the Commissioner has refused a license on seven different occasions, *viz.*, with regard to two sites on Lamington Road, one on Sandhurst Road, one opposite Mr. Dadysett's house in Charni Road, one opposite the Portuguese Church (Girgaum Tram Terminus), one site near the Railway Hotel, and one site near the Dhobi Talao Tank.

Now with regard to the proposed theatre in Sir Mangaldas's grounds you could not be aware that the site, for which license is asked for, is so situated that on all sides of the site, including the opposite side of the road, there are properties belonging to Sir Mangaldas's estate. The proposed theatre is to be about 80 feet from Lamington Road, which road itself is 60 feet wide. The conditions are that there will be no band in the compound, the show itself will not be worked by an engine, and there will be no noise as the whole thing will be worked by electricity. The compound will be used for the people waiting to go inside the theatre so that there will be no crowd and no disturbance in the street.

As regards the lights, the police regulations require the lights in the compound to be put out when the last performance begins, for which the latest hour is 10-30 p.m. Besides this Lamington Road is one of the widest roads in Bombay, it has no tram lines at all, and when I can assure you from personal visits that the number of carriages and motor cars that have been found at any place like the Imperial Cinema on different nights ranges between six and fifteen at the very outside, you can readily understand that that cannot possibly be a nuisance to anybody. It is also quite clear that when a performance is over, the whole place is entirely cleared of all carriages, cars, etc., in 3 or 4 minutes.

The people who send in complaints on reading the advertisements for proposed sites for cinema shows often argue that a body like the Bombay Improvement Trust refuses to continue cinema theatres on any of its sites, but they do not seem to know that these plots have always been intended by the Improvement Trust to be utilized for residential purposes, and they are leased out for certain periods with the express condition that they would later on be used for residential purposes and as they are now required for such purposes, the Improvement Trust refuses to renew their leases excepting for residential purposes. The objection to bright lights in the compound cannot stand for a moment when all the lights in the compound are put out at 10-30 p.m. at the latest. Some people say that in the neighbourhood of a cinema show many tea shops and restaurants will spring up, but those have to be licensed by the Commissioner of Police, and I have not the slightest doubt that the police will take great care before granting any such licenses. There are however none of these tea shops in fact near any present or past cinema shows.

Some people contend that loafers and vagabonds crowd outside a cinema theatre, on the road. This is an absurd contention; if there were a band in the compound some people might be attracted by it, but in the new proposed site there will be no band in the compound and there are always policemen outside places of amusement who could look after the people on the road.

Under rule 8, any person desirous of erecting a theatre, must advertise his intention in the papers before applying in writing to the Commissioner, therefore under the rules printed by Government, advertisements have to appear and I do not see how the Commissioner can be blamed for others carrying out the rules of Government. The only circumstances under which the Commissioner can refuse any license for the keeping of a cinema theatre are when such a place appears to him to be likely to cause obstruction, inconvenience, annoyance, risk, danger or damage to residents or passers-by in the vicinity of such premises.

Which of these could possibly arise in a case of the kind of the theatre proposed to be erected in Sir Mangaldas's estate? Further the Commissioner of Police has power to cancel or suspend at any time under rule 271 any license granted, so that there is no danger of a nuisance continuing if it does really prove to be a nuisance after trial.

You admit in your notes that cinematographs are recognised all over the world as a popular means of amusement and instruction, especially for the large majority of poor people; if so it is the duty of the public not to raise unfounded and unnecessary objections to such places of amusement but they should rather encourage them. My experience is otherwise and I find the public as a rule unreasonable in their attitude and even the police very backward indeed in granting licenses. The police pay too much attention to objections raised merely for the sake of raising objections or on purely personal and selfish grounds, and I feel rather sorry that you should have added your voice in this case without first seeing the plan of the proposed theatre or consulting the authorities.

The present Commissioner of Police is as easily, if not more easily, approached than any other officer of Government, and he always gives a most patient and sympathetic hearing to any reasonable suggestion or complaint, but when it comes to objections, which come from purely interested and personal motives and in some cases from per-

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THE BOMBAY CHRONICLE.

Wednesday, 15th November, 1916.

THE "THANA" IN LONDON.

Reuter's cable stating that Mr. Chamberlain has appointed Mr. T. W. Arnold "as Educational Adviser for Indian Students" in succession to Mr. Mallett is inaccurate in detail. Mr. Arnold's post was already that of "Educational Adviser for Indian Students," Mr. Mallett being the Secretary for Indian Students. These subtleties will probably be lost upon the uninitiated. Mr. Arnold's head-quarters were at 21 Cromwell Road,—familiarly known among Indian students all over the United Kingdom as the "Thana",—whilst Mr. Mallett was ensconced at the India Office. Mr. Mallett is said to be "retiring at his own request at the end of the year" and in so far as Mr. Arnold secures his release from the "Thana" he is to be congratulated. We have always had a measure of sympathy for Mr. Arnold. It was an unkind fate that forced a man with the instincts and tastes of a student and scholar to bureaucratic servitude. The author of the "Preaching of Islam" was not cast in the administrative mould: a circumstance very much in his favour, as not a few students testify to his personal kindliness and willingness to help. On the other hand, a "Thana" in London could not be run smoothly on those terms. As a result Mr. Arnold's position has been peculiarly difficult and invidious. Not strong enough to be master in his own household, he was, none the less, able to befriend many young Indians. The institution, however, of which he was the head has been increasingly discredited. We believe it to be the simple truth that nothing short of the abolition, or, in the alternative, the most drastic and complete overhauling, of 21, Cromwell Road will do, if the Indian Students Department is to recover its proper measure of usefulness and respectability.

What, then, are the abuses and irregularities with which it is widely credited? In the first place, a point which Mr. Mallett skilfully evaded in his laborious annual reports must be publicly, authoritatively and finally cleared up. Has 21, Cromwell Road anything to do with the espionage of Indian students or has it not? We have our own opinions as to the advisability of political surveillance of young Indians in England; but if the authorities feel that that kind of work is called for let it be done by appropriate organisations. There is Scotland Yard. But to let the impression remain unchallenged and uncorrected that what is proclaimed ostensibly as a home and social centre for Indian students is also a C.I.D. bureau is mere criminal stupidity. The first step towards reform must be to have that general, wide-spread suspicion dispelled once for all; or, if the evil does exist to eradicate it in a straightforward and *bona-fide* manner. It is not for nothing that an institution is nick-named "Thana" among hundreds of students. In the second place, as an essential condition of the reorganisation of 21, Cromwell Road we would strongly suggest that various semi-official associations that are sheltering under its roof should be made to quit. Students, like other human beings, want to know where they stand. One can deal with an official or a non-official institution. But 21, Cromwell Road has a composite character. Societies whose whole *raison d'etre* at their establishment was that they should be *non-official* bodies, free from the least political taint, dedicated to the promotion of social amenities, have cheerfully become an annexe to the official bureau. Perhaps we pay them a compliment in assuming on their part a conscious initiative. About the time they were formally officialised they were, we imagine, in a state of coma. This does not mean that they were not financially stable, but that they had diverged far from their original aims and activities. Under official auspices new and various vices have crept into them: their position is anomalous and untenable: either they should merge themselves and their identity into the official department under whose roof they exist, or assert their independence,—they have got more than adequate funds for the purpose,—and assume their original character and functions. But even that proposition is beset with difficulties. A clear course of conduct presupposes some one able to do it. These institutions, we believe, are in a state of parasitical paralysis. A vested interest has grown around them. Orgies of social climbing and petty intrigue are reported to comprise their normal activity. We are aware of employing somewhat unequivocal language but we think it is time that what is known and said privately should be put on public record.

We have always freely acknowledged that Mr. Arnold's Department has done, and was capable of doing, a certain amount of good: it was the uncertain amount of harm of which it had been, and was, simultaneously capable that made the mischief. Latterly, 21, Cromwell Road, in its dual manifestation of an official and a non-official institution, has been given over to a game for which we believe the underlings rather than the higher authorities to be responsible. We think the Indian public, no less than the Government, should be apprised of it. Subsidised to the tune of £6,000 a year of Indian money, the attitude which characterizes the personnel of the place is frankly hostile to all *truly* non-official activity among Indians in England. The device pursued is simple and systematic. Given any Indian Society, be its object social, political or educational, (and there are several such now in England), the enterprising individuals who run,—and over-run,—the "Thana" first seek to thrust themselves into it, with a view to securing eventual control. One would think they might be content with the variegated texture of their domicil, but nothing less, apparently, than the reduction of Cromwell House into a mosaic would meet their wishes. If their amiable aspiration is resisted, then the furies are let loose upon the offending body. A non-official Indian Society in London, be its aim what it may, must either be absorbed into the orbit of 21, Cromwell Road or be crushed. The whole thing would be ridiculous if it were not contemptible. Indian money in the past has been put to some curious uses, but this will take a lot of beating. The scandal must be put an end to. It is the denizens of Cromwell Road be assed by their superiors to confine their energies to their habitat, and not seek to interfere with the larger movements of Indian life beyond.

TRIAL BY JURY.

The Associated Press telegram regarding the proceedings of the U. P. Legislative Council stated that Mr. Syed Wazir Hussan's resolution on the extension of the jury system in sessions trials to nine more districts was carried, did not state the whole truth about the fate of the resolution. From the detailed account of the proceedings appearing in the Allahabad Press, it appears that the resolution was stoutly opposed by Government and, on a division being asked for, was carried by a bare majority of one,—a most remarkable result in view of the fact that this is the first time we believe, in the history of reformed Councils that the Government of the United Provinces have been defeated. Mr. Wazir Hussan's resolution was a very modest one. He asked that under section 269 of the Criminal Procedure Code the trial of certain specified offences before the courts of sessions should be by jury in the districts of Agra, Meerut, Fyzabad, Bareilly, Gorakhpur, Jhansi, Cawnpore, Aligarh and Moradabad in addition to the three districts of Allahabad, Benares and Lucknow where the system exists. The fact that only in three districts has this right to trial by jury,—a right which is the basis of the British system of judicial administration,—been conceded and that as many as nine of such important districts as those of Agra, Cawnpore, and Moradabad have been denied it, in spite of the great progress in education and public spirit which the people have made, is inexplicable, except as a melancholy irony whose manifestations are many and various in this country in fields other than those of judicial administration. In fact as Mr. Wazir Hussan pointed out the principle of trial by jury was conceded long before the passing of the Criminal Procedure Code. For obviously the system of judicial administration of England could not well be introduced at least in theory in this country minus its strongest elements, without making it seem a mockery.

Mr. Wazir Hussan's resolution was, therefore, a very modest one, as will be seen from the fact that another member moved an amendment to it asking for the extension of the jury system to all sessions trials in the province. Hence it is the more surprising that this request for a right long overdue should have been opposed on behalf of the Government, and in a speech which Mr. Chintamani rightly described as an irreconcilable one. More than its irreconcilable character, what strikes us is its fatuity. How else could one characterize the statement made by Mr. O'Donnell, the Judicial Secretary, that "the system of trial by jury was not part of the established machinery of administration of justice in this country" and that it was "an exceptional procedure which the local Government had power to introduce in particular areas." After this display of ignorance of history of the introduction of the British system of judicial administration and of actual existing law, it is not surprising that this exponent of the views of the Executive bureaucracy went on to say that this power of local Government was "sparingly" exercised,—as if trial by a jury were the imposition of a restriction on the liberty of the subject. Again, as though, by way of excuse the Judicial Secretary informed the Council that a body of High Court and Sessions Judges strongly condemned the system, information that is not new as far as its character is concerned. For there are judicial officers in plenty,—fortunately they are not in a majority,—in the country who seem to think that Indian conditions are suited to the introduction of all the less beneficial elements of British judicial system and not of all the better. But, as Mr. Chintamani pointed out, the Judicial Secretary was unfair to the Council,—and to the public,—"in quoting extracts from opinions which to the best of my opinion have not been placed before the public." It is unnecessary to add,—though this is the most relevant fact,—that the Judicial Secretary conveniently refrained from quoting extracts of opinions as strongly favourable to the extension of the system of trial by jury.

Notes of the Day.

Journalism—High and Low.

We commented yesterday on the amazing suggestion of the "Madras Mail" that politicians whose opinions are obnoxious to the faction which it represents and whose activities cannot be restrained by the law should be in its own expressive phrase "broken" once and for all by arbitrary executive action. The law, in fact, acording to this elegant authority is to be superseded and the Government is to obey the bidding inspired by the mob instincts of the handful of rowdies whose mouthpiece this journal has become. It is melancholy to witness the degeneration of a paper with great traditions into a mere organ of vulgar prejudice and passion. A refreshing contrast is provided by the dignified and generous attitude of another journal with great traditions which we are gratified to know are still worthily maintained. "The Times of India" which, as we mentioned the other day, published some strongly-worded strictures on Mr. Tilak based on the magistrate's judgment, has now, in view of the judgment of the High Court, handsomely and without reservation withdrawn the deductions which it drew from the decision of the lower court and expressed its regret for having made them. That is an honourable example which will stand for all time as a monument to the credit of British journalism in this country in its highest ranks,—an example which we wish we could hope would be followed in other quarters.

Portugal's Aid.

The announcement made by the Portugese Premier in the Chamber that Portugese contingents are about to leave to fight on the battlefields of Europe, constitutes a welcome commentary on the statement made by Mr. Samuel at the Guildhall banquet that the "Allies form the greatest league recorded in history, ten states comprising 760 millions of people, half of the whole of ma kind." Portugal has been an ancient ally of Britain and her indirect support of the cause of the Allies during the war has been invaluable. And there is no doubt that the Portugese soldiers who will now fight shoulder to shoulder with their British and French comrades will reflect on their country a not inappreciable part of the glory of having enforced peace, punished aggression and maintained law among nations.

China's Pathetic Hope.

The new Foreign Minister of China is reported to have defined the foreign policy of his country as enmity towards none and friendship towards all. This insistence on what according to ordinary diplomatic standards would perhaps be regarded as an attitude of perfection, is not without a melancholy importance. During the last few years, the country has been faced with the ever-present problem of internal disorder and fears of external attempts at undermining her status as an independent and self-respecting country. Her problem is, therefore, greater than that of merely restoring her house to order. She needs more than anything else to be relieved of the haunting fear of being one day made to barter her political independence to the European Powers who hold the key of her finances. China is, thus, the last country to dream of active enmity towards any of the other countries. Her only hope lies in her efforts to win their active and sincere sympathy.

Psychological Phenomena.

Headlines in an evening contemporary:

"WOUNDED HUNS."

"THEIR UN-BRITISH MENTALITY."

Here there seems to be a little confusion induced by the stress of war. What is the point of blaming the Huns in large type, especially when they are wounded, for their "un-British mentality"? It would not be the most natural thing in the world for "Wounded Huns" to be possessed of British mentality. But the war is throwing up such freaky types. For instance cases have come to our knowledge of natural-born Britishers endowed with the "mentality" of Junkers. And the experience has been more than chastening: it has stiffened our resolution to carry the war to the bitter end. The perils of Prussianism are too unholy even in colourable imitations.

Village Government.

It is gratifying that some of the local Governments have recognised,—however faintly,—the wisdom of making a move towards the rehabilitation of the ancient system of village government in this country. So far, however, it seems all that the authorities are willing to do is merely to consider whether the present generation of Indians want the revival of these panchayats. The Government of the Central Provinces, for instance, have just promised to appoint a committee 'to investigate by making enquiries in villages whether panchayats are practicable and villagers want them,"—a process that is altogether superfluous in view of the actual working of these institutions in the Punjab and, to some extent, in Madras and Bengal, and especially in view of the findings of the committee on the subject recently appointed by the United Provinces Government. But it is something that the C. P. Government have given the undertaking that if the opinions thus obtained are favourable, steps will be taken to introduce the scheme. When will the Government of Bombay move in the matter?

Enquiry before Assessment.

An Allahabad telegram stated yesterday that at the meeting of the United Provinces Legislative Council a motion by Mr. Chintamani for a previous economic enquiry into the condition of cultivators before raising assessments, was lost. At first sight the telegram as it stands, seems to contain a mistake somewhere. For it might obviously have been accepted as an axiomatic truth that any enhancement of assessment must follow an exhaustive enquiry into the economic condition of the cultivator. It is the cultivator who is to pay the revenue, and it is obviously inadvisable to extract from him more than he can pay, that is, to force him to go to the money-lender,—a policy that is economically suicidal as much to the State as to the cultivator. More amazing, however, is the fact that the Government should have opposed this motion which merely asked them to do what they are supposed to do. As conditions are at present, there is, of course, a sort of enquiry of this character before the assessments are revised. But the enquiry is invariably one-sided and the co-operation of the cultivator is not sought, his own view of his capacity to pay being apparently regarded as not worth consideration.

Aden.

The Report on the Trade and Navigation of Aden for 1915-16, is just published. The trade of the Port of Aden consists of three main divisions,—Foreign, Indian and Land. The total trade for the year under review shows an increase of £420,590. Merchandize increased by £710,587 but Treasure, it is stated, decreased by £289,997. The principal increases in general trade, says the Report, were in cotton piece-goods, grey specially; cotton twist and yarn, skins raw; coffee; tea; gums and resins; spices; kerosene oil; sugar and coal. The chief decreases were in hides raw; grain and pulse; tobacco unmanufactured; metals; shells; wax; seeds; salt; wood and articles per post.

CAPTURE OF A TURKISH TRANSPORT.

SUBMARINE'S PLUCKY FIGHT.

A Petrograd telegram gives the following particulars regarding the capture of the 6,000 ton armed Turkish transport Rodosto by the Russian submarine Tyulen in the Black Sea:—

The Tyulen was submerged near Keiken when she described the Rodosto steaming eastwards. Her commander determined to capture the big ship, if possible, and placed himself in a position between her and the shore. She approached within a mile of her quarry and then opened fire. The Rodosto replied with her heavier armament. After an hour's duel, the Tyulen drew nearer and nearer, at last firing almost at point blank range.

By this time fire had broken out on board the transport and the flames were gradually spreading. Moreover, the steering gear had been destroyed and the Rodosto at length drew off somewhat and ceased firing. The Tyulen picked up some of the Rodosto's crew whom she found clinging to wreckage in the water, including the commander, who turned out to be a captain in the German Navy, and the German chief engineer and chief petty officer. She then drew alongside the ship, took off all the remainder of the crew, and after several hours' strenuous work localized the flames sufficiently and repaired the damage so far as to enable the Rodosto to proceed slowly under her own steam. The submarine and her prize reached Sevastopol in 40 hours.

The Tsar has conferred on Commander Kittitzin, in charge of the submarine, the Cross of St. George.

LAHORE CONSPIRACY CASE.

RETURNED EMIGRANT ON GERMAN INTRIGUES.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, Nov. 14.

The Lahore second supplementary conspiracy trial has been going on from day to day before the Special Commissioners.

One returned emigrant stated that the Punjabi Mohamedans in Vancouver and San Francisco used to come to the "Ghadr Asram" as they thought the Ashram people had sympathy with Turkey. The "Ghadr" press printed several pamphlets by Hardyal and other writers including one headed "Gerenause Mat Lars" i.e. "Don't fight with Germans" and a Turkish pamphlet called "Jehad." Bhagwan Singh, Ramchand and Barkatulla who were editors went to Germany while it was proposed that Mangumal should start a shop in Tibet through funds supplied by the German Consul. The Chinese Consul, however, refused permission. The "Ghadr" publications were distributed broadcast in India, Afghanistan and the battle-fields of Europe. The German Consul twice took away a loaded motor car full of these publications intending them to be thrown near the battle-fields from Zeppelins. Ajit Singh, deportee, and Sufi Ambaprosada who absconded as a political offender, were sent from Turkey to the United States.

Other returned emigrants deposed to the harangues delivered by some of accused in these conspiracy cases against the Canadian and British Governments. Some witnesses, including police officials, deposed to the part taken by some accused in dacoities and to their identification and recovery of looted property in their possession.

The trial is proceeding.

PROPOSED COLLEGE OF ACCOUNTANCY AT MADRAS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MADRAS, Nov. 14.

The Government of Madras have appointed a Committee consisting of the following gentlemen to consider and advise on a scheme for the establishment of a college of higher accountancy and auditing in Madras and for the utilization of the Sydenham College of Commerce and Economics, Bombay, as a central examining body for conducting accountancy examinations at various centres and for awarding diplomas in accountancy:—(1) The Director of Public Instruction, (Chairman), (2) the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, (3) Pandit Vidya Sagar Pandya, of the Indian Bank, Madras, (4) Mr. Ian Fraser, of Messrs. Fraser and Ross, Chartered Accountants, Madras, (5) Rao Bahadur M. A. Parthasarathi Ayyangar, Head Cashier of the Bank of Madras.

BRILLIANT BRITISH VICTORY.

ONE-MILE ADVANCE ASTRIDE THE ANCRE.

TWO STRATEGIC POSITIONS CAPTURED.

BLOW ON THE ANCRE

GREAT BRITISH VICTORY.

LINE ADVANCED ON BOTH SIDES.

CAPTURE OF BEAUMONT HAMEL.

ST. PIERRE DIVION TAKEN.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Nov. 14.

Reuter's correspondent at Headquarters wiring this afternoon says:—We attacked early to-day and already by twenty minutes past two this afternoon have advanced the British line on both sides of the Ancre to a maximum depth of a mile capturing the village of Beaumont-Hamel, considered by the Germans impregnable, and St. Pierre Divion and also valuable trenches northward of Serre.

All these positions form part of the heavily fortified original German main line, which they have occupied for upwards of two years.

Many prisoners have been taken. Two thousand have already been collected.

In advanced stages fighting continues around Serre, the only place not captured in the first assault.

GERMANS' SEVERE LOSSES.

ENEMY DEFENCES ON FIVE-MILE FRONT PENETRATED.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Nov. 14.

General Haig ast night reported:—We have been attacking astride the Ancre and have penetrated the enemy defences on a front of five miles and captured the strongly fortified village of St. Pierre Divion. The attack was delivered before daylight in thick mist.

The enemy's losses were severe. 3,300 prisoners have already been counted and more are coming in. Fighting continues.

The German line captured was exceptionally strong.

OUTSKIRTS OF BEAUCOURT-SUR-ANCRE REACHED.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Nov. 14.

General Haig in this afternoon's communiqué says:—We stormed Beaumont-Hamel and reached the outskirts of Beaucourt-sur-Ancre. Over four thousand prisoners have been taken. Fighting continues.

BEAUCOURT SALIENT WIPED OUT.

OBJECTIVE OF BIG PUSH COMPLETED

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Nov. 14.

Experts agree in congratulating General Haig on his brilliant strategy, the success of which completes the objective of the big push, annihilating the whole system of defences which the Germans considered impregnable and increasing the enemy's difficulties in manning the trenches.

Yesterday's victory wipes out the so-called Beaucourt salient and enables the British for the first time to continue operations on a fairly wide front.

The importance of the extension of the offensive is increased by the fact that it is likely to wreck the German staff plans of scraping every regiment that can be spared from France for the attack on Roumania. Saint Pierre and Beaumont which the infantry rushed are described as fortresses stronger than Port Arthur and Sevastopol.

A QUIET DAY.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

PARIS, Nov. 14.

Last night's communiqué reported that the day was relatively calm on the whole front.

VESSELS SUNK.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Nov. 14.

The British steamers Morazan, Caterham and Kapunda have been sunk. The captain of the Morazan was made a prisoner.

The Germans seized the Dutch steamers Batavier and Import bound for England. The crew of the Import took to boats but on the submarine disappearing, they returned to the ship.

SANGUINARY FIGHTING ON CERNA.

SERBIAN CAPTURE OF IVEN.

ENEMY REPULSED IN DISORDER.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

PARIS, Nov. 13.

Supported by the intense fire of the French artillery the Serbians in the loop of the Cerna after a sanguinary fight compelled the Germans and Bulgars to abandon the village of Iven and fall back two miles northward.

Five enemy counter-attacks were repulsed in disorder with considerable loss.

The Serbians assisted by the French also again made progress north of Veliselo.

Hitherto more than a thousand prisoners have been counted and sixteen more guns captured. The Allies have taken 6,000 prisoners, 72 guns and 50 machine-guns since the offensive began on September 12th.

SERBIANS' VICTORIOUS ADVANCE.

CAPTURE OF POLOG.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Nov. 13.

A Serbian communiqué says:—We not only broke the counter-attack against Cuki, but continued our victorious advance northward, pursuing the beaten enemy. Polog is entirely in our hands.

We have captured 56 guns exclusive of trench ordnance since 14th September.

LONDON, Nov. 13.

Reuter's correspondent with the Serbian Headquarters states that the capture of Tchuke hill enables the establishment of a strong bridgehead across the Cerna.

ATHENS' GOVERNMENT'S OBSTRUCTIVE TACTICS.

POPULAR INDIGNATION.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

SALONIKA, Nov. 13.

A Venizelist official announcement states that the Royalists have occupied the village of Oustana north of Grevena, where a detachment of Venizelists was stationed. It is not yet known whether fighting occurred.

The provisional Government has ordered reinforcements not to be sent, preferring to leave to the Athens Government full responsibility for the non-execution of its agreement with the Entente.

The news that the Bulgars have been burning and plundering the towns evacuated by them in East Macedonia and carrying off the inhabitants, has caused indignation against the Government.

GREEK INTRIGUES.

(Associated Press.)

LAHORE, Nov. 14.

A "Civil and Military Gazette" cable says:—

The "Morning Post's" Athens correspondent says that the Prefect of Florina has discovered at the Prefecture instruments with which his predecessor, M. Vamvestos, signalled to the Bulgars, as well as documents incriminating the Gounarists and showing that M. Vamvestos sold to the Bulgars maize to send out of Salonika and relieve distress. General Sarrail has demanded the recall of M. Vamvestos within 24 (?)

The Central News Agency's correspondent at Athens says a Greek airman attached to the Salonika Army has destroyed the bridge at Aggesta which is useful to the Bulgariana.

MAN POWER BOARD'S RECOMMENDATION.

ALL MEN UNDER 26 TO BE CALLED UP

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Nov. 13.

The "Daily Mail" says that the Man Power Board recommends the calling up of all men under 26 with few exceptions and all unskilled men under 31.

ENEMY MOVEMENTS IN TERRAGNOLO VALLEY.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Nov. 13.

An Italian official announcement reports that intense enemy movements are continuing in the Terragnolo Valley. They are hindered by our batteries.

BATTLES IN ROUMANIA.

ENEMY ATTACKS REPULSED NEAR BUSTENI.

VIOLENT FIGHTING SOUTH-EAST OF ORSOVA.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Nov. 13

A Roumanian communiqué says:—We have repulsed two enemy attacks north-west of Busteni:—A battle continued throughout the day in the region of Dragoslavele. We maintained our positions.

We repulsed all attacks on the left bank of the Alt river, but yielded ground in the region of Saracibste on the right bank.

Enemy pressure continues to be very strong in Jiul Valley.

There is violent fighting south-east of Orsova.

ENEMY'S REPULSE IN WOODED CARPATHIANS.

FIERCE FIGHTING IN KIMPOLUNG REGION.

(Reuter's Telegram)

LONDON, Nov. 13.

Enemy attacks in the Wooded Carpathians have been repulsed with great losses. The enemy is persistently attacking south of Dorna Vatra in the region of Hollo and Toldesh.

The enemy has pushed back the Roumanians in Oituz Valley, but the Roumanians have occupied the heights north and south of Toidveldoling.

The enemy is fiercely attacking in the region of Kimpolung.

A battle is proceeding in Jiul Valley and at Orsova.

Our left has advanced slightly in the Dobrudja.

RUSSIAN REINFORCEMENTS ON TRANSYLVANIAN FRONT.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

PARIS, Nov. 13.

A Petrograd telegram announces the arrival of numerous Russian reinforcements on the Transylvanian front, chiefly in the Predeal sector.

ENEMY CONCENTRATION AGAINST ROUMANIA.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 13.

According to apparently trustworthy information the Central Powers are concentrating great forces against Roumania, whom they will do their utmost to crush before the end of the year.

NAVAL ACTION IN BAY OF FINLAND.

GERMAN TORPEDO BOATS SUNK.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Nov. 13.

A Russian communiqué says:—Enemy torpedo-boats entered the Bay of Finland and bombarded the coast on Friday. We sank the majority.

RUSSIAN TREASURY BONDS.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

PETROGRAD, Nov. 13.

The issue abroad of Treasury Bonds totalling two thousand million roubles is authorised.

HUSBANDING OF FRENCH RESOURCES.

COUNCIL OF NATIONAL ECONOMICS BEING FORMED.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

PARIS, Nov. 13.

The "Matin" states that the Government is forming a Council of National Economics to arrange the husbanding of food and other resources, the better employment of public funds and efflux of coin abroad.

The chairmanship has been offered to ex-President Fallieres.

BRITISH NAVAL AIR RAID.

OSTEND HARBOUR ATTACKED.

BOMBS ON WAR VESSELS.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Nov. 13.

The Admiralty states that a squadron of naval aeroplanes carried out an attack on the harbour at Ostend on the 12th instant. A considerable number of bombs were dropped on the *atelier de la marine* and war vessels.

ENEMY AIR-RAID ON PADOVA

SCORES OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN KILLED.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Nov. 13.

A squadron of enemy aeroplanes on Saturday bombed Padova and destroyed a building and killed the majority of women and children who were taking refuge in it. Already sixty deaths have been reported.

GERMANY'S MAN-POWER.

ALL CIVILIANS TO BE CALLED UP.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)

LONDON, Nov. 14.

It is reported that the German Government contemplates summoning an extraordinary sitting of the Reichstag with a view to introducing legislation calling up all civilians.

GERMANY'S WAR.

LIEBKNECHT'S INDICTMENT OF THE GOVERNMENT.

The Zurich Socialist paper "Volksrecht" publishes the text of the letter written by Liebknecht which was submitted to the Reichstag Committee during his trial. It reads:—

To the Royal Council of War in Berlin.

At the hearing of the inquiry into my case, I want to lay stress on the following points:—

1. The German Government, as it is at present constituted, is only an instrument for the oppression and the exploitation of the working classes, both inwardly and outwardly. It serves the interests of the Junkers, of capitalism, and of Imperialism. It is the unscrupulous representative of the policy of conquest, and by reason of its armaments it has been the principal instrument in bringing about the present war. The Government has prepared this war in agreement with the Austrian Government, so that it bears the chief responsibility. It brought about the war by leading into error the bulk of the nation and even the Reichstag. (Refer to the terms in which the ultimatum was addressed to Belgium and the manner in which the German White-book was drawn up, also the suppression of the Tsar's telegram of July 29, 1914, &c.) It acted thus in order to maintain the masses of the people at the desired level.

The Government has carried on the war in accordance with methods which are even incompatible with everything which has been done hitherto—the violation of Belgium and Luxemburg; the use of poison gases, which were subsequently used by the other belligerents; there were Zeppelin bombs which killed both combatants and non-combatants, a submarine war on commerce, the torpedoing of the Lusitania, etc.; pillage and extortion of tribute, beginning with Belgium; the internment and imprisonment of the population of the eastern provinces; various devices for forcing prisoners to work against their own country, by spying for the Central Powers, thereby committing an act of high treason; contracts arranged between Zimmermann and Sir Roger Casement in December, 1916, for the formation of armed units of English prisoners of war, for the purpose of forming the Irish brigade. Besides these, other attempts must be mentioned, which were made among the foreigners in concentration camps in Germany, threatening them with internment unless they betrayed their own countries and placed themselves at Germany's disposal.

In proclaiming the state of siege the Government had recourse to political proceedings totally devoid of all scruples, and it increased its demands on the working classes further by its organisation of the food question. During the war everything has been done with an eye to the wishes and demands of the agrarians and capitalists, at the expense of the masses of the people. Even to-day it is thought that the aims of the war must comprehend the conquest of territories, and these desires for annexation form the greatest obstacle in the way of the conclusion of peace.

The password of all true Socialists ought to be this: "Down with the Government!"

2. The present war is not a war of defence or a war waged for the liberation of oppressed peoples. From the proletariat's point of view, it merely signifies a concentration and an accumulation of political oppression and military sacrifices, increasing the misery of the working classes to the profit of the capitalist and to the profit of absolutism.

For the German working classes, there can be no thought of its ever coming to terms with leaders animated by such ideas, and I shall pursue the struggle against them with all my strength.

DEPORTATION OF BELGIANS.

CARDINAL MERCIER'S PROTEST.

APPEAL TO CIVILISED WORLD.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 14.

Cardinal Mercier, the Primate of Belgium, has issued a spirited protest to the civilised world against the compulsory deportation of Belgians to Germany. He declares that the Germans are daily deporting thousands of inoffensive Belgians who are herded in waggons like slaves.

Cardinal Mercier scouts the German declaration that the deportation measures are dictated solely by humanitarian reasons. He draws a touching picture of sons, husbands and fathers torn from homes by parties of soldiers who bar the doors with bayonets, preventing those about to be deported from bidding farewell to their womenkind.

The Cardinal concludes by charging the Germans with breach of their pledges not to deport Belgians.

NEW GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF CANADA

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Nov. 14.

The Duke and Duchess of Devonshire have arrived at Ottawa where they received an ovation.

BISMARCK'S GERMANY.

MR. SIDNEY WHITMAN GIVES HIS RECOLLECTIONS.

The recollections of a political writer in the capitals of Europe ("Things I Remember," by Sidney Whitman, Cassell, 7s. 6d. net.) for the twenty years preceding this war form a book full of interesting and significant intimacies. Mr. Whitman, as is well-known, speaks with the authority of both a scholar and a man of affairs on Germany, a country he knows intimately.

Mr. Whitman expresses surprise that intelligent critics should find the beginnings of Armageddon even remotely in the old German philosophers. He contends that the change in Germany is recent, and brought about by the German reverence for an overlord, and the fact that their overlord happened, in the case of the Kaiser, to be a vain and energetic megalomaniac.

"As a conclusive proof of Bismarck's wish to stand well with England," he writes, "I can vouch for the following:—His last verbal instructions to German diplomatic representatives abroad, more particularly to the Consuls in India and Egypt—where since his day German intrigue has been rampant—often terminated in the words: 'Do all in your power to keep up good relationship with the English. You need not even use a secret cipher in cabling. You have nothing to conceal from the English, for it would be the greatest possible folly for us to antagonise England!'"

Later the author (when in Berlin during the Algeciras Conference) became aware that Germany "was drifting into an attitude of irreconcilable antagonism to the country of my birth. I had long been aware that for many years past an irresponsible influence had been working mischief in Germany, one such as is made familiar to us in Goeth's Zauberlehrling, the wizard's apprentice who plays ducks and drakes with the wand of his absent master. . . . . Many Germans, as well as sundry foreign friends of Germany, were alive to this dangerous element; but they thought so highly of the Germans as a sane and peace-loving race that they felt confident that in a case of emergency the people would pull up the irrepressible talker in time."

SUDANESE REBELS ROUNDED UP

SUCCESSFUL BRITISH EXPEDITION.

EX-SULTAN OF DARFUR KILLED.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Nov. 13.

An official despatch from Egypt says that 300 troops of the Egyptian Army were despatched to El Fasher in October for the purpose of rounding up the band of rebels in the province of Darfur headed by the ex-Sultan Aldinar.

The force suddenly moved from Dibis and reached Kulme on November 3rd and encountered a few tribesmen and little opposition. One hundred rifles and 300 camels were captured. Our mounted troops pursued the main body who had retired westward towards Sugai, caught them up and attacked them on November 6th.

Aldinar was killed and we took 200 prisoners and captured 340 rifles, 2,500 rounds of ammunition, 6,000 cattle and other material. We had no casualties.

AIR-RAIDS ON MAGHDABA AND BIRSABA.

Another official Egyptian despatch says that a ton of high explosives has been dropped in two successful airraids on Maghdaba and Birsaba. A number of direct hits were secured, and much damage was done to the enemy's camp and store-sheds at Maghdaba. A hundred pound bomb made a direct hit on an Aviatik leaving the hangar at Birsaba, damaging the hangar. Much damage was done to the railway-station and rolling-stock. Two Fokkers were brought down damaged. Our machines returned safely.

EXCESS PROFITS DUTY AND TEA INDUSTRY.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Nov. 13.

The Indian and Ceylon tea industry having applied for an increase to twelve per cent. of the statutory pre-war standard of profits for the calculation of the excess profits duty, the Board of Referees after hearing evidence have raised the percentage to eight for companies and nine for private firms.

AERIAL ACTIVITY IN MESOPOTAMIA.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

LONDON, Nov. 13.

An official communique from Mesopotamia states that two British aeroplanes successfully bombarded the headquarters of Turkish irregulars at Akin, westwards of Nasiriyeh.

NEW SOUTH WALES MINISTRY.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

SYDNEY, Nov. 13.

The Governor now does not insist on the resignation of the Ministry.

TO-DAY'S WAR SUMMARY.

- Attacking early on Monday the British have advanced their line on both sides of the Ancre, capturing Beaumont-Hamel and St. Pierre Divion and also valuable trenches northward of Serre. Enemy defences on a front of five miles have been penetrated.
- The enemy's losses were severe. 3,300 prisoners have already been counted and more are coming in. Fighting continues.
- The Roumanians repulsed all attacks on the left bank of the Alt river, but yielded ground in the region of Saracibste on the right bank.
- The enemy is fiercely attacking in the region of Kimpolung.
- There is violent fighting south-east of Orsova.
- Enemy attacks in the Wooded Carpathians have been repulsed with great losses.
- In the loop of the Cerna, after a sanguinary fight the Serbians, supported by French artillery fire, compelled Germans and Bulgars to abandon Iven and fall back two miles northward.
- Polog now is entirely in Serbian hands.
- Enemy torpedo boats entered the Bay of Finland and bombarded the coast on Friday. The Russians sank the majority.

GENERAL BRUSSILOFF

RUSSIA'S GREAT LEADER.

A CHARACTER SKETCH.

Mr. Ludovic Nandean wrote as follows from the Russian General Headquarters (south-west front on the 23rd September, to the "Daily Telegraph" giving a description of the famous Russian Commander, General Brussiloff:—

Two eyes, luminous and perspicacious; a darting glance that dives straightaway into your very mentality; indeed, a pair of small, grey eyes, whose imperious flash turns over the leaves of your soul better than the voice of the confessor interrogates the soul of the believer—that is what you at once perceive and experience when for the first time you approach General Brussiloff. His intuition scrutinises you, it takes your gauge; his instinct searches out what you really are and your worth. He at once "takes your measure." And the visitor, on his side, feels that he is in the presence of one who is by nature and pre-eminently an appreciator and judge of men. If it be true that each of us has his dominant characteristic, then, obviously, one cannot but classify General Brussiloff into the category of observers and psychologists. This instantaneous domination by the mere look intimidates ordinary beings, and it gives General Brusiloff, though he is a small man, an appearance of stature. When you try to discover analytically the source, of this look of command you perceive that it emanates from the great forehead; one that for all the strength of the arched nose, dominates the whole face. Though at first you do not realise it, the sense of a commanding personality comes more especially from this forehead, index of a superb intellectuality, which mingles its mute expression with the militant vivacity of the pupils below.

Those who are habitually in contact with him perceive in him a leader who trusts his immediate collaborators, giving them merely the synthetic idea and the general outline to be followed. That is well in character; the psychologist cannot deal in any half-confidence; he believes or he doesn't believe in you, the opinion he has of other men being the outcome of a subtle labour of his own intelligence; the mistakes or weaknesses of those on whom he thought himself able to rely become his own personal misjudgments; and he blames himself for them as if they were his own; he feels when he rigorously enforces a penalty that he is punishing himself; for it is in the very nature of a psychologist to dislike finding himself in the wrong in his judgments of character

A DISCIPLINARIAN.

Such is the man who commands the Southern front. Affable and good-natured in prtvate intercourse, he becomes as hard as steel in service matters. In English military terminology he would be classified as "a disciplinarian." When the opportunity comes to us humble recorders of the passing show of approaching one of those men whom Destiny has made the instruements of her designs—one of those exceptional beings who are entrusted with the construction of the long perspectives of history—it is our first duty to endeavour, as best we can, to seize their characteristic traits. The General who struck in the spiring of 1915 a lightning blow at an army of 500,000 men, and made captive its immense debris; the General who has given our banners the glittering impulse of a great victory; the man who has still a great task before him to fulfil, and that without delay, as in these Southern regions the period of bad weather has less effect in suspending operations than in the North, and as, moreover, the Russian left wing is here in touch with the Roumanian front, where great movements must inevitably occur—such is the leader, invested with so signal a mission, that one must try to depict as he lives and moves; and certain details that might with you or me appear empty and trivial, become significant when they go to make up the physiognomy of one of those who are the moving factors of that strange, dread mystery that men call the Future.

In physique General Brussiloff belongs to the cavalryman type. This short, compact, astonishingly light figure has a general air and a quickness of address that recalls those of a Galliffet and a Lord Roberts. A horseman he is to his finger tips, and he carries his full 63 years with the ease of a man in the fifties who has given up all his life to the open air and sport. Born of a military family of pure Russian stock, and leaving the Corps de Pages at the very moment of the outbreak of the Turkish War, he had in virtue of his origin the privilege of serving in the Guard. Instead, he enlisted in a Caucasian cavalry regiment, and fought through the whole Turkish campaign. He then had a two years' course at that special school of cavalry where the science of horsemanship is carried to the last refinements, and there he became the disciple of the famous French riding Master, Philles, who at that period had entered the Russian service. It was then that he made the acquaintance of the Grand Duke Nicholas Nicholaievitch, whose clear-sightedness picked out the young officer and facilitated the path of promotion to high rank. When the Manchurian War broke out he asked leave to go. But the War Office decided otherwise, and he was kept to his post, which then was the headship of that same cavalry school of which he had been one of the most brilliant pupils. . . .

INTELLECTUAL SOLDIER.

But in this man of rare physical aptitude, this riding-master whose name was then famous among the experts of Europe, Nature, who acts as she pleases, and endows whom she pleases, had put the brain of a thinker, a faculty of study and reflection. An incessant reader, Brussiloff had gathered together a huge library of the most important works in history and strategy. His travels abroad he had devoted to visiting old battlefields made illustrious by the feats of the world's great soldiers. In this way he acquired by reflection and personal observation a mass of scientific knowledge that was to stand him in good stead in 1914 and after. Even during the present war, while he was yet in command of the 8th Army, he did a great deal of reading. Only after he had been given supreme command of the Southern Group of Armies was he obliged, by sheer pressure of work, to give up every other intellectual occupation save the urgent one of conducting operations.

General Brussiloff, though he can content himself with a Spartan diet in case of necessity, prefers, nevertheless, a table provided with some care; he takes regularly with every meal a glass of red wine and one of white, never more, never less. He smokes many Russian cigarettes—too many, his close friends say. He has his sanctum and salle-a-manger, separate from the mess where his General Staff dine; but to every meal it is his habit to invite some higher officers. At these repasts all "talking shop" is strictly forbidden; all restraint is thrown aside, and the only rule is that of soldierly camaraderie. General Brussiloff jokes with zest, and provokes his subordinates to return in kind. Rich in anecdotes, hearty in laughter at a good story, quick in the "uptake," he has sarcastic wit and an occasional tendency towards leg-pulling. A fly was floating in the soup plate. He sent for the cook who arrived in a state of consternation. "Another time," he commanded, "see to it that flies don't fall in the soup. Never forget that great truth that flies should be served in a separate dish"

SYMPATHETIC DICTATOR.

Kindly, sympathetic towards his soldiers, liberally helping men burdened with large families out of his own pocket, possessing the art of addressing troops, quick to recognise the effort of those heroes of every hour and minute, the officers of the lower grades, Brussiloff has an absolute ascendancy over the higher-grade officers, exercising over them a sort of dictatorship that is tempered only by the affection he inspires. If there is at times in his character a tendency towards what one might call a tyrannical will, so that any contradiction frets and irritates him, a complete change over is soon wrought, in him by the swift working of reason and he will recognise the value of disinterested advice or the opportuneness of an objection. This is so much the case that in the long run those he likes best are just those who have the courage to say boldly to his face what they think. In short, Brussiloff stands for an intelligence of a powerful and superior order, for clear vision and sagacity; hence the ease with which he has adapted himself to the necessities of modern warfare. Ask those who come in touch with him, and are around him and they will answer unanimously, "He is a great chief." Here we have these keen and fine intelligences—Alexeieff, Brussiloff, Gurko—and others like them, in command of the Russian army. That army is strong in numbers, and composed of soldiers indifferent in the face of death. And you will ask, perhaps, "What is it that delays a complete defeat of the enemy?" To that question I shall reply by another—"What is it that delays you in the West from sending us plenty of big guns?"

A NEW CAR FOR THE COLONIES AND ORIENT.

The Harroun Motor Co., recently incorporated in New York with a capital of £2,000,000 are building a light weight car to meet the requirements and conditions of service in the Colonies and the Orient. The Directors and staff of the Company are men with a very wide practical knowledge of the conditions and requirements of the export market and the aim of the Company is to build the most reliable light weight car in the world to be available to the public at £200. The chassis will be mounted with a highly finished grey touring body equipped with a khaki hood and slip cushion covers to match Special attention has been paid to the upholstery and aluminium cork lined running boards will be used. The mechanical details of the chassis have been carefully designed with a view to simplicity so as to eliminate as far as possible the need of expert mechanical supervision which is so often unobtainable in many quarters of the globe.

The 1917 programme provides for 25,000 cars but the extensions already in hand allow for 75,000 cars per annum. This is the first time in the history of the Automobile industry that a factory has been laid down for the purpose of turning out a special export car, the demand for which hitherto has been indifferently met by manufacturers endeavouring to adapt their domestic models to the needs of the export market.

The Company's factory at Detroit covering an area of over 60 acres is already at work, but the Company will not be in a position to export cars before January 1917. In order to expedite shipments and efficiently supervise their handling, the Company have opened export offices at Produce Exchange Buildings, New York City.

AGRICULTURAL AND INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION AT BARODA.

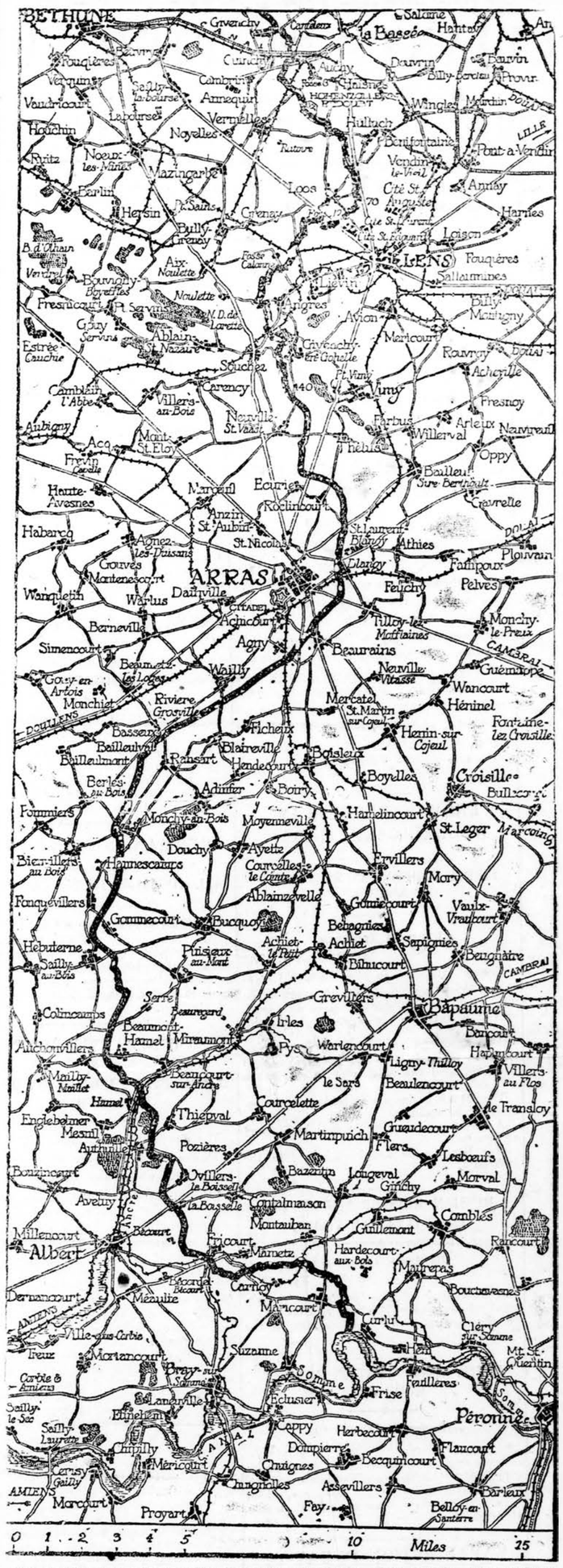
TO BE HELD IN JANUARY NEXT.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

BARODA, Nov. 14.

The Government of H. H. the Maharaja Gaekwar have decided to hold an Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition at Baroda in the first week of January next. The Exhibition will be divided into four sections, Agriculture, Industries, Forest and Education. There will also be an Horticultural Show at the time. For the entertainment of the large number of visitors, who are expected from all over the country, there will be many interesting side-shows. The influential committee appointed to organise the Exhibition is also trying to arrange a series of lectures on various subjects by prominent men from different parts of the country.

NEW BRITISH OFFENSIVE.



THE ABOVE MAP SHOWS THE BRITISH FRONT ON THE ANCRE AND SOMME. THE THICK BLACK LINE INDICATES THE BRITISH FRONT ON JULY 1 WHEN THE GREAT PUSH BEGAN FROM GOMMECOURT TO THE SOMME. THE ATTEMPT TO CAPTURE BEAUMONT HAMEL AND BEAUCOURT-SUR-ANCRE (WHICH IS ASTRIDE THE RAILWAY) WAS THEN UNSUCCESSFUL. IN FACT THE POSITION, FROM THIEPVAL TO GOMMECOURT HAS REMAINED MORE OR LESS UNCHANGED.

AFFAIRS OF CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

PROPOSED COMMITTEE OF ENQUIRY.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Nov. 14.

It is understood that the Government of India will shortly appoint a Committee to enquire into certain matters connected with the Calcutta University.

The committee will, it is said, consist of nine members, possibly three Indians and six Europeans. Sir Ashutosh Mookerjee will preside and the Hon. Mr. Hornell, Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, will be one of the members. The Committee will commence its sittings early in December. No official announcemnt has yet been made as to the scope of the enquiry but a resolution is expected shortly.

A Cochin correspondent telegraphs that a collision occurred at Aryaad near Allephey on Saturday evening between two steam boats, the Vizaya, the property of a private owner, and the Saraswati of the Navigation Company. The former sank, the engineer being killed. No further casualty is yet reported. The Travancore Government is investigating into the cause of accident.

POSTAL VAN COLLIDES WITH A MOTOR.

DRIVER KILLED ON THE SPOT.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MADRAS, Nov. 14.

An unfortunate accident happened on the Government House Bridge, Mount Road, yesterday evening, as a result of which a postal van driver, named Thandavarayan, lost his life.

About 5-30 p.m. Mr. C. R. N. Pelly, Acting Chief Presidency Magistrate was returning from the Gymkhana in his motor car and as he was turning up the bridge the postal van drawn by a horse dashed into his car. The motor car was being driven by Mr. Pelly himself. Besides the chauffeur there were also in the car Mrs. Pelly and Mr. W. J. Molesworth. With great presence of mind the brakes were applied by Mr. Pelly the moment he noticed the van in front and felt there was certain to be a collision. Mr. Pelly's action averted what might otherwise have resulted in very serious consequences to the occupants of the car. As it was, when the collision occurred the driver of the van was thrown to the ground violently on his head and lied almost instantaniously while the motor car was seriously damaged.

PAPER CURRENCY RESERVE.

MEASURES TO STRENGTHEN IT.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SIMLA, Nov. 13.

A Press Communiqué states: The Government of India are issuing an ordinance authorising a temporary increase of Rs. 12 crores in the Paper Currency Reserve investment. It will be remembered that by an Act (9 of 1916) passed in March last and having currency during the period of the war and for six months thereafter, power was taken, *inter alia*, to issue currency notes up to a maximum amount of Rs. 6 crores against British Treasury Bills of an equivalent value held by the Secretary of State. By these powers the total admissible investment on behalf of the Paper Currency Reserve was increased to Rs. 26 crores, of which Rs. 6 crores must be held in Treasury Bills of an equivalent value, namely £4 million, Rs. 10 crores must be invested in securities of the Government of India, while the remaining Rs. 10 crores may be invested either in securities of the Government of India or in securities of the British Government or sterling securities issued by the Secretary of State.

SECRETARY OF STATE'S DEMANDS.

The circumstances which rendered necessary the taking of additional powers in March last have again arisen. The position is, as is generally known, that when the Secretary of State in order to meet a strong trade demand for Council Bills sells bills in excess of his own requirements or the convenience of the Government of India, he can in normal conditions fall back upon the alternative of selling his bills against the Paper Currency Reserve, instead of against the Government of India's treasury balances. The payment made to him, for the bills in London are then credited to the Paper Currency Reserve there in gold and the bills are paid from the funds held on account of this reserve in India. This procedure, however, involves the gold so credited to the reserve in London being specially earmarked and set aside in the Bank of England. In the financial situation at Home created by the war such earmarking of gold is undesirable and it is of course still more undesirable that gold should be exported from England to India, as would happen in normal circumstances, were the Secretary of State to refrain from issuing Council Bills for the convenience of trade. The object of taking additional powers last March was, therefore, that instead of crediting the proceeds of his Council drawings in gold to the Paper Currency Reserve in London, the Secretary of State should be able to invest them in British Treasury Bills which are readily realisable securities and to place these in the reserve.

ADDITIONAL INVESTMENT OF 12 CRORES.

The large purchases of silver recently effected by the Government of India have substantially increased their power of meeting the Secretary of State's drawings from the Treasury. During the current year the silver has been paid for in England and a corresponding amount has been added to the treasury balances in India from its proceeds when coined. The portion of the proceeds representing the profits on coinage has been paid into the Gold Standard Reserve in India and is also available for meeting Council Bills. In spite of this assistance, however, the heavy expenditure which the Government of India have been undertaking in this country on behalf of the Home Government has made it impossible to meet the Secretary of State's drawings from the available resources to the full extent of the requirements of trade and as the powers taken by the Act 9 of 1916 have been nearly exhausted, further special measures have become necessary. In these circumstances it has been decided to extend the powers taken in March last to the extent of a further sum of Rs. 12 crores, the additional investment so authorised being restricted as before to Treasury Bills held by the Secretary of State. It is hoped that these additional powers, together with the further assistance which may be anticipated from treasury balances later on in the year, will be sufficient to cover the Secretary of State's drawings during the remainder of the busy season. Should this not prove to be the case, however, it is the intention of the Government of India to adopt such further measures as may be necessary for the purpose of enabling trade to bring out to India the funds required for trade purposes.

WHOLE QUESTION TO BE RECONSIDERED AFTER WAR.

This ordinance as such will have effect for six months only and its duration will in all probability be prolonged by legislation during the coming session of the Imperial Legislative Council so as to give the change now made the same currency as the previous temporary paper currency legislation enacted during the war, i.e., for the period of the war and for six months thereafter, as has been explained on previous occasions. On the restoration of normal conditions the whole question of paper currency administration with the recommendations of the Royal Commission on Indian Currency and Finance will be reconsidered.

Official and Personal.

Sir C. Sankaran Nair will attend the Calcutta University Convocation in January.

In the course of the discussion of the resolution on Village Punchayets in the C. P. Legislative Council, with reference to the Hon. Mr. Slocock's remark that the system of village punchayet did not exist there under native rule, the Hon. Sir Bipin Krishna Bose drew Mr. Slocock's attention to Mr. Jenkin's report on the territories of the Nagpur Rajas. It is stated in that valuable state document that generally every village in Nagpur kingdom had an official called Mahajan who discharged the functions of a punchayet with respect to ordinary village disputes. Some of the earlier Settlement reports also contained references to the system, although the time honoured system of settling village disputes had now disappeared.

CASUALTY LISTS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Nov. 6.

KILLED.

Captain E B M Dekmege, East Lancs.
Second-Lieut A E Dickin, Cheshires.
Second-Lieut L C Fawkner, Flying Corps.
Second-Lieut C J Girling, Hampshires.
Lieut S Haywood, East Lancs.
Captain W J G Hoare, Royal Fusiliers.
Second-Lieut T S Page, Norfolks.
Second-Lieut G A Ward, West Kents.

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED WOUNDED NOW KILLED.

Second-Lieut A S Cleveland, Sherwoods.
Second-Lieut D A L Derby, York and Lancs.
Lieut F G De Staged, Rifle Corps.

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED WOUNDED AND MISSING, NOW KILLED.

Lieut R C Davidson, Northumberland Fusiliers.
Second-Lieut H G Fyson, Bedfords.

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING, NOW KILLED.

Lieut S F Bancroft, Welsh Fusiliers.
Second-Lieut W Collins, Gloucesters.
Second-Lieut A E Grieve, South Lancs.
Lieut L R Rawson, Rifle Corps.
Second-Lieut A D Slocombe, Gloucesters.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

Second-Lieut E Appleby, Field Artillery.
Second--Lieut H W Coneybeare, Lincolns.
Lieut R T Hett, Service Corps.
Captain G F Irvine, Warwicks.
Captain E H C Le Marchant, Hampshires.
Second-Lieut E B Parr, South Lancs.
Captain R R Waters, Warwicks.

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED WOUNDED, NOW DIED OF WOUNDS.

Second-Lieut J S Allan, Argyll and Sutherlands.
Second-Lieut V H Clay, Lancs Fusiliers.
Second-Lieut J Negroponte, South Lancs.

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING, NOW DIED OF WOUNDS.

Second-Lieut C C Hann, Flying Corps.
Second-Lieut F G Marchant, West Kents.

DIED.

Captain W Crymble, Medicals.
Lieut F Whitaker, Medicals.

WOUNDED.

Second-Lieut D D Beaton, Highland L I.
Second-Lieut K A Hellon, Duke of Wellingtons.
Lieut W W Honywood, Lancers.
Second-Lieut W J Kendrick, Cheshires.
Second-Lieut J G Robertson, Inniskilling Fusiliers.
Second-Lieut T A Robinson, Field Artillery.
Captain C Stephenson, Cheshires.

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING, NOW WOUNDED.

Second-Lieut H T Newton, Wiltshires.

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED WOUNDED NOW NOT WOUNDED.

Lieut G W Kindersley, Cameronians.

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED WOUNDED NOW MISSING.

Second-Lieut H Dickie, South Lancs.

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING, NOW NOT MISSING.

Lieut A S Pirie, Cameronians.
Second-Lieut F W Robinson, Machine-gun Corps.

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED PRISONER OF WAR, NOW WOUNDED PRISONER OF WAR.

Captain W T Mitchell, Highland Lights.

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING, NOW PRISONERS OF WAR.

Second-Lieut R N Carter, Dorsets.
Lieut L B Helder, Royal Fusiliers.
Lieut R R Money, East Yorks.

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING, NOW WOUNDED AND PRISONERS OF WAR.

Lieut J D A Macfie, Black Watch.
Second-Lieut R Simpson, Hampshires.

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SIMLA, Nov. 13.

The following names of British officers appear in the 241st and the 242nd casualty lists of the Indian Expeditionary Forces:—

ACCIDENTALLY DROWNED.

Lieut W F Garraway, I. A.

WOUNDED.

Captain E R C Wilson, R. G. A.
Captain S H Killick, South Lancashires.

DIED OF DISEASE.

Lieut S B Gregory, Devonshire Regiment.

CALCUTTA SHARE MARKET.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Nov 14

At the share market to-day full rates were paid for jutes on opening and a fairly trade was put through, good stocks again registering an advance. There was a distinct improvement in inquiry for coal shares, better prices being offered and inquiry being more general in its scope. In other directions there was nothing of special interest to report. The following sales took place:—

Coal:—Baraboni 16-12, 17; Banakuri 13, 13-4; Bhaigora 40, 40-8; Bengal Nagpur 62; Bengal 930, 932; Borrea 17-8 to 19; Bokaro Jherriah 12-12; Bokaro and Ramghur 14-12; Burradhemo 13 to 14-4; Central Kurkend 35-8; Damargurriah 16, 16-4; Equitable (ord) 51-4 to 54-8; Ghusick 22-8; Jumoni 7-14 to 8-4; Kinuri 10-8 to 11-12 (fully paid) Kosoonda 27, 27-8; Lakurka 35 to 36-4; North Damuda 13; North West 40; New Kendah 21; New Manbhoom 21; Phularitand 5-4; Raneegunge 35; Royal 5-4; Satpukuria 11; Saltore 16; South Govindpur 9; Sodesh 8-12 to 9-4; Sudamdih 5-12; Teethulmuri 17; Upper Pench 12-4.

Jute:—Auckland (ord) 323 to 326; Baranagore (ord) 158 to 161; Belvedere (ord) 500; Budge Budge (ord) 554 to 565; Clive (ord) 199 to 201; Dalhousie (ord) 428 to 439; Delta (ord) 540; Empire (ord) 50-8 to 52; Fort Gloster (ord) 673 to 682; Fort William (ord) 253, 251, 248, 249; Gondalpara 875; Howrah (ord) 398, 399; Kamarhatty (ord) 529 to 535; Kankanarrah (ord) 652 to 657; Kelvin (ord) 660 to 664; Kinnison (ord) 730 to 735; Lawrence (pref) 120; Northbrook (ord) 42-8 to 44; Orient 27 to 31p; Reliance (ord) 355 to 361; Soorah (ord) 222 to 224; Standard (ord) 503 to 508; Union (ord) 635 to 643; Waverly 16-8 to 20.

Miscellaneous:—Empire Jute 6 per cent (deb) 106; Reliance Jute 6 per cent (deb) 105-8; Tittaghur Paper (ord) 108.

Government Paper 3½ per cent was quoted at Rs. 76-2 to 76-4 and small lots were done at Rs. 76-10 to 76-14.

BANK OF MADRAS RATE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MADRAS, Nov. 14.

The Bank of Madras rate of interest remains unchanged.

At a public meeting held at Madras with Mr. S. Kasturiranga Iyengar, Editor of the "Hindu," in the chair, an influential committee was formed for collection of funds for the relief of distress caused by recent floods in various parts of the Presidency.

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ORIGINAL APPELLATE SIDE.

DISPUTE OVER ADVANCE ON COTTON

APPEAL DISMISSED WITH COSTS

(*Before the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Heaton.*)

LAKHAMSY LADHA & Co., A FIRM,—Appellants and Plaintiffs v. LAKHMICHAND PADAMSY, A FIRM,—Respondents and Defendants.

This was an appeal from the judgment of Justice Davar who had dismissed the plaintiffs' suit with costs.

The plaintiffs are up-country cotton merchants who consigned cotton to Bombay for sale. Damjee Hirjee & Co. were until the 29th of September 1913 their usual consignees and agents for sale in Bombay. The plaintiffs frequently called upon Damjee Hirjee and Co. to remit money to them in large sums, the security being the plaintiff's cotton in their hands. Damjee Hirjee and Co. used to raise money by pledge of this cotton to the third defendant's firm. On the 29th of September 1913 the third defendant or persons claiming under them held 757 bales of the plaintiff's cotton against which advances had been made to Damjee Hirjee and Co.

The accounts between the plaintiffs and Damjee Hirjee & Co. at that time showed a balance of Rs. 50,000 owing to Damjee Hirjee and Co. but on the other hand Damjee Hirjee and Co. had to account to the plaintiffs for the 757 bales. The third defendant's advances against these bales amounted to Rs. 83,000 or thereabouts. The contest in this suit was for the amount by which the third defendant's advances exceeded the sum due in account by the plaintiffs to Damjee Hirjee and Co.

His Lordship Mr. Justice Davar in the trial court held that the plaintiffs' representatives knew that the firm of Damjee Hirjee and Co. were raising money on their goods by pledging them to the defendants who, in turn, pledged them with the Allahabad Bank and that the case fell clearly within S. 178 of the Contract Act as a valid pledging of goods in the possession of a mercantile agent. His Lordship accordingly dismissed the suit with costs.

Against this judgment the plaintiffs appealed.

AUTHORITY TO PLEDGE THE COTTON.

His Lordship the Chief Justice in delivering the judgment of the Appeal Court after stating the facts observed that the argument for the appellant was this:—Section 179 of the Contract Act took the case of a pledger with an interest in the subject of the pledge out of the operation of section 178 and limited the authority to pledge to the extent of the interest in the goods. Damjee Hirjee and Co. had a lien on the cotton consigned to them to the extent of Rs. 50,000 or thereabouts in which the accounts showed the plaintiffs to be indebted to them. Therefore they had no authority to charge the cotton beyond Rs. 50,000. The plaintiff's counsel had with this premise attempted to show that the evidence only showed a recognition by the plaintiffs of Damjee Hirjee and Co.'s authority to pledge the cotton, to recoup themselves the advances, "ex hypothesi" Rs. 50,000 already made to the plaintiffs.

In his Lordship's opinion the proposition of law upon which the argument was based could not be maintained. Section 179 did not limit the scope of section 178, but saved a pledge to the extent of the pledgor's own interest notwithstanding the presence of invalidating conditions falling under one of the provisions to section 178. In other words whenever he had an interest, the person in possession of the goods or documents had unconditional authority to charge at least that interest.

Upon the evidence the learned judge was right. It justified the finding that the plaintiff's representatives knew the manner in which their cotton was being dealt with by Damjee Hirjee and Co. and made no objection and consequently they approved of the pledging. The correspondence further justified the conclusion that the plaintiffs urged Damjee Hirjee and Co. to pledge their cotton when necessary. In the state of the evidence it was hopeless for the plaintiffs' counsel to contend that the circumstances raised any presumption that the pledgor was acting improperly even though his account showed that he knew the plaintiffs to be the owners of the cotton. It was unnecessary in this view of the case to consider the evidence as to the alleged interview between Meghjee, the plaintiff's and Dulabhdas the third defendant's representative.

Their Lordships accordingly dismissed the appeal with costs.

Mr. Strangman and Mr. Kanga appeared for the appellants.

Mr. Desai and Mr. Setalvad appeared for the respondents.

Attorneys for the appellants: Messrs. Captain and Vaidya.

Attorneys for the respondents: Messrs. Edgelow, Gulabchand and Wadia.

ORIGINAL SIDE.

LEASE OF FIRE-TEMPLE GROUNDS TO A MAHOMEDAN.

SEQUEL TO OBJECTION BY PARSI RESIDENTS.

JUDGE'S STRICTURES ON ADVOCATE-GENERAL'S INTERFERENCE.

(*Before Mr. Justice Beaman.*)

FAZUL PEER MAHOMED,—Plaintiff v. MANCHERSHAW D. B. WADIA & ANOTHER,—Defendants.

This was a suit to recover possession of certain premises, leased by the first defendant to the plaintiff from the first defendant, or in the alternative to recover Rs. 40,000 as damages suffered by the plaintiff.

Mr. V. F. Taraporewalla and Mr. B. J. Desai appeared for the plaintiff.

Mr. Mirza and Mr. Kanga appeared for the first defendant.

The Hon. Mr. Jardine appeared for the second defendant.

By a deed of trust dated 9th September 1863 a Parsi fire temple with its adjoining grounds situated at Parel was dedicated to the use of the high and low of the Zoroastrian community by the ancestors of the first defendant. The first defendant was at present the sole surviving trustee of the fire temple. There were no funds existing out of which the expenses for repairs and maintenance of the fire temple could be carried on. With a view to benefit the fire temple the first defendant on the 24th December 1912 leased two pieces of vacant land forming part of the temple compound, to the plaintiff for building purposes. The lease was to be for a period of 20 years at a monthly rental of Re. 1. The plaintiff was to build two buildings on the two plots in accordance with plans annexed to the lease and to carry on the building work under the supervision of and use materials approved by the first defendant's engineers. On the ground floor of the buildings were to be located shops while the upper floors were to be built for residential purposes and to be let only to Parsi tenants. Certain apartments on the second floor were to be set apart for the lessor and were to be at his disposal. At the end of the term of the lease the buildings were to become the property of the fire temple and were to be handed over to the lessor in good condition. The lessee undertook to expend at least Rs. 30,000 on the two buildings. On the execution of this lease the plaintiff went into possession of the two plots and building operations commenced.

OBJECTION BY PARSI RESIDENTS.

Some Parsi residents of Parel, however, objected to the leace of the Aglari lands being given to the plaintiff, a Mahomedan, and they held a meetnig protesting against the first defendant's action. As a result the first defendant was compelled to ask the plaintiff to stop the building work and ultimately the first defendant had the trenches dug for the foundations of the proposed building re-filled and took possession of the plots. The plaintiff thereupon filed the present suit seeking to recover possession of the leased plots or damages in the alternative.

The first defendant put in a defence denying that he had prevented the plaintiff from building and saying that he had no objection to the plaintiff proceeding with the building work if the Hon. Court thought the lease to be to the advantage of the charity.

ADVOCATE GENERAL'S OBJECTIONS.

In the meanwhile some of the Parsi inhabitants of Parel moved the Advocate General, who was on his own application joined as second defendant to the plaintiff's suit. The Advocate General put in a defence to the suit contending that in granting the lease the first defendant had acted in excess of his powers and had committed a breach of trust. He contended (a) that the first defendant had no power to give a lease for 20 years without the sanction of the court (b) that the land being dedicated to the use of Zoroastrians it ought not to be demised to a Mahomedan, (c) that the first defendant in stipulating that certain apartments should be set apart for the lessor had stipulated for a personal advantage to himself, and (d) that the rent reserved was merely nominal while the benefit accruing to the charity at the end of the lease was highly speculative.

Evidence was led as to the feeling of the Parsi community in the neighbourhood of the fire temple with regard to the lease.

THE JUDGMENT.

His Lordship in the course of his judgment said that it was a case of too common occurrence where a factious spirit of opposition rooted probably in some personal quarrel, in the first instance, spread over a small community or a section of a community. It had been a very serious question throughout the case to his Lordship whether really the Advocate General had any locus standi at all. As, however, the learned Chamber Judge had admitted him on stringent terms, his Lordship thought it better to accept the array in that form in order to save time and money and avoid further litigation. The objection that the grounds could not be leased to a Mahomedan was entirely unsustainable. The plain truth was that in great cities like Bombay, Agiaries as a rule had no land appurtenance to them, or, if so, but a very small compound. The evidence in the case indicated that by far the most sacred and most frequented Agiaris and Atashberams in this city were surrounded on every side by residential buildings and shops in the occupation sometimes, at any rate, or those who did not profess the Zoroastrian faith. Looking to the general terms of the trust deed of 1866 it was quite clear that in circumstances such as those of the Agiare at present, the intention of the donor would be best carried out by applying a portion of the vacant land to profitable uses in order to raise funds for repairs and for the support of priests. It appeared from the evidence that it was not really the question of leasing land to Zoroastrians or non-Zoroastrians which was important, but the question whether such leasing would lead to the overlooking of the Agiary by those who were not privileged to witness the sacred ceremonies. And at the end of the case the Advocate General had abandoned the contention that the proposed buildings involved any such risk.

LEASE MOST CAREFULLY DRAWN UP.

In his Lordship's opinion the lease had been most carefully drawn up so as to protect the tenderest susceptibilities of the Zoroastrian community, the plans having been approved by an old orthodox Parsi architect. His Lordship did not think that the lease was an improvident lease at all. He was surprised to find the Hon. the Advocate General pressing so heavily on a point which he did not believe had ever been taken before in the case of a public charity, viz., that a trustee, although he had made a good, might have made a better, bargain. On the face of it the lease was a very good and profitable lease. In his Lordship's opinion the whole of the litigation had been due to the factious personal ill-feelings of certain individuals.

UNCALLED FOR INTERFERENCE BY ADVOCATE-GENERAL.

He was sorry to see the Chief law officer of the Crown involved in a case obviously so mean and beneath him. He could not believe that this was a proper case for any intereference on the part of the Advocate General. There was a decree ordering the plaintiff to be put in possession of the land. The Advocate General was ordered to pay the plaintiff's costs and also the costs of defendant No. 1 incurred after the date of the Advocate General's written statement.

Solicitors for the plaintiff: Mulji and Thakurdas.

Solicitors for the first defendant: Maneklal and Co.

Solicitors for the second defendant: Wadia, Gandhy & Co.

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193-15.—Rajaram Laxuman Khage v. Murcherji Byramji, In person. On 18th August, 1915, this Insolvent's discharge was suspended for 12 months with protection.

APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE UNDER SECTION 38.

734-15.—Pandu Rama Chandolkar, v. Nowla Hira & Co., Crs. No. 1, In person.

478-16.—Mahomed Yacoob Pathan v. Master Abdulakhan Cr No. 1, Balkrishna & M.

FOR HEARING OF NOTICE UNDER SECTION 104.

278-14.—Ebrahim Alimahomed v. The firm of Purshotum Govindji, Crs No. 20, Chaturbhuj Kalidas Cr, Hurjiwan Walji, Cr No. 1, Jiwraj Madhowji, Cr No. 8, Rutonsi Kanji, Cr No. 7, Soonderdas & Co., Part Heard, from 1-11-15.

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Kajmakcalan is a king among the Balkan mountains, thrusting up its head above a ring of satellite peaks. In surface it is like Dartmoor drawn up at a steep angle to the sky. To approach it you twist up a zigzag road, that has had to be made with infinite labour out of a mere donkey track. Its gradients are appalling; its corners almost impossible. You look down on Lake Ostrovo, from which started, as if you were on a celestial balcony. Yet, in places which in normal times are visited only by eagles, you come suddenly upon the Ford van of the English transport service, which by means of skilful driving and much pushing from the Serbian road gangs, has brought up food or ammunition for the Serbs. Even more surprising still is it to meet the van of the Scottish Women's Hospital, driven by a sunburnt girl, and bringing a cartload of Serbian wounded down this really alarming road that serves as the approach to Kajmakcalan.

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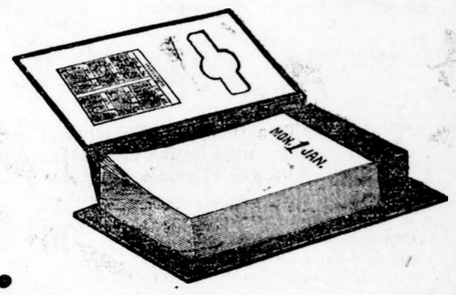

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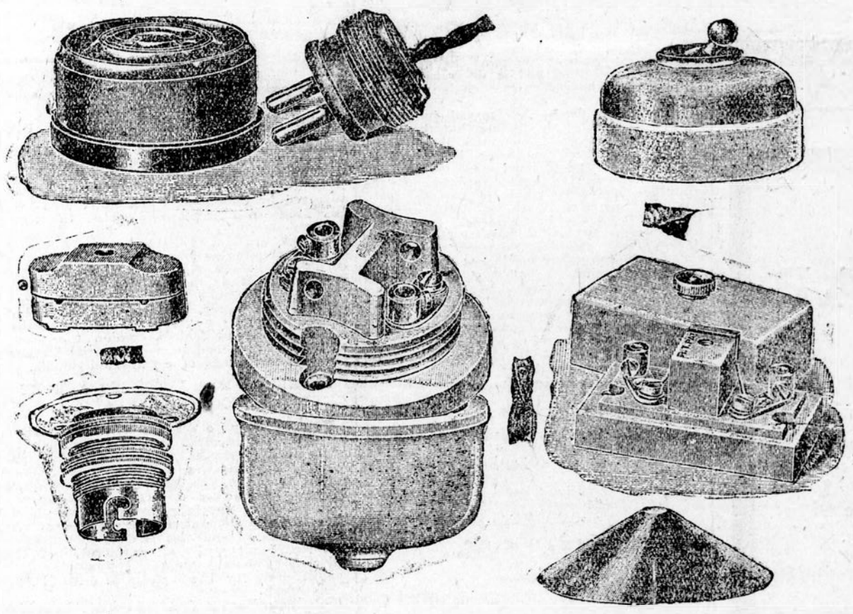

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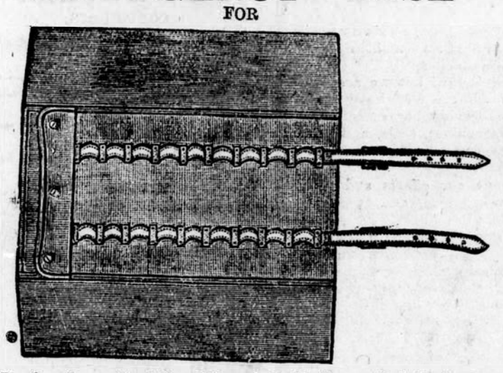

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